

INAUGURAL DAY AT CITY HALL

TREE CLIMBERS WANT PAY RAISED Ask for 25 Cents More a Day in the Moth Department—More Cases of Scarlet Fever

REVIEW OF MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENTS BY MAYOR O'DONNELL

ALD. DONNELLY SWORN INTO OFFICE At This Afternoon's Meeting of Municipal Council—Departments Assigned

The tree climbers of the moth department called at the office of the lands and buildings department this forenoon and presented their demand for an increase of 25 cents a day, which would make their pay \$2.50 per day.

Commissioner Cummings told the writer this morning that the tree climbers of the moth department asked for \$2.25 per day for their labor, but that the department was not prepared to grant the increase at the time that the superintendent of the department was ill, they made a demand of 25 cents additional per day, and the request was granted for the remainder of the year. Now, according to the agreement they have gone back to the old schedule, but they desire the increase permanently.

Mr. Cummings interviewed the other members of the municipal council this afternoon and all agreed to grant the men the increase.

New Automobile

The new automobile recently purchased for the lands and buildings department arrived this morning, and already Supt. Connor has started taking lessons in running it.

Bids for Wagon Shed

The lands and buildings department is calling for bids for the erection of a wagon shed for the board of health. The building will be open and will be constructed with brick and wood. It will be 20 feet long and 10 feet wide, and about 12 feet high. The bids will be open on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

Permits Granted

Joseph E. Cote today received a permit for the erection of a two-family dwelling house in Middlesex park. The house will contain five rooms, each and the building will be 24x48 feet. Its estimated cost is \$2000.

Alfred Allister took out a permit for a cottage to be erected at 5 Wedge street. The house will be 25x35 feet and will cost \$2500.

Scarlet Fever Cases

The schools opened this morning and already four cases of scarlet fever among school children were reported to the board of health's office. Five others were also reported.

Child's Belongings

The following marriage intentions were filed at the city clerk's office since the last were printed: Leon Chet Ford, 36 Branch, 25, baggage master;

Years of Suffering

Catarrah and Blood Disease—Doctors Failed to Cure

Miss Isabel F. Dawkins, 1214 Lafayette street, Fort Wayne, Ind., writes: "For three years I was troubled with catarrah and blood disease. I tried several doctors and a dozen different remedies, but none of them did me any good. A friend told me of Hood's Sarsaparilla. I took two bottles of this medicine and was as well and strong as ever. I feel like a different person and recommend Hood's to any one suffering from catarrah."

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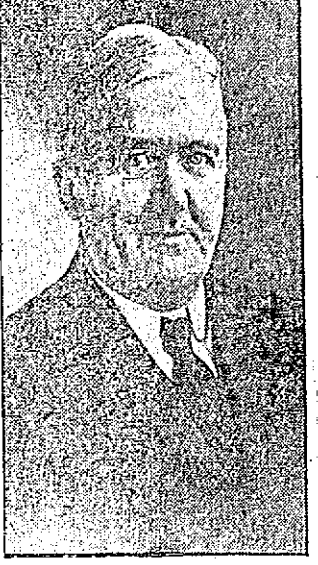
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HON. JAMES E. O'DONNELL Mayor



LAWRENCE CUMMINGS Commissioner



JAMES E. DONNELLY Commissioner

He Intends to Increase the Pay of Police Officers—Commissioner Brown's Remarks

This was inaugural day at city hall and at 10 o'clock this morning the members of the municipal council assembled for their first meeting of the new year. On account of the absence of Commissioners Andrew E. Barrett and James E. Donnelly, the meeting was adjourned to 2:15 o'clock this afternoon. However, Commissioner George H. Brown was sworn into office by Clerk Stephen Flynn and Mayor James E. O'Donnell delivered his inaugural address. Commissioner Brown also made brief remarks.



GEORGE H. BROWN Commissioner

The inauguration exercises this year were not marked with as large an attendance as in previous years, but however, there was a fair gathering. The employees of the street and sewer departments were quite conspicuous in the gallery. Contrary to the usual custom there was no clergyman present, and the oath was administered by the city clerk.

Among those present at the exercises were: Ex-Councilman John A. McKenzie, T. Killpatrick, James Flanagan and John Brady, also Messrs. Frank P. Murphy, Albert J. Blazon, Jeremiah O'Sullivan, Albert J. Ryan, Charles H. Hanson, S. P. Hebert, Jas. Kenney, Bernard F. Gately, George M. Eastman, James Gregg, Bernard Fitzpatrick, James Gilligan, J. J. Mullane, Stephen Kearney, Anne P. Best, ex-Councilman Oella Morin, J. Joseph Hennessy, J. C. Manseau, Dr. T. F. Jewett, Representative Victor F. Sawett and Mrs. Annie Mullane.

The janitorial force at city hall worked all day yesterday preparing the big municipal building for the New Year's opening and Commissioner Cummings provided them with a dinner which was served in the old council committee room. Commissioner Brown, who was in the building during the day, was the only guest.

The Meeting

The meeting this forenoon was called to order at 2 o'clock by Mayor O'Donnell, who at the outset announced that Commissioners Barrett and Donnelly could not be present. He then greeted the members of the council and delivered the following address:

Mayor O'Donnell's Inaugural Address

Gentlemen of the Municipal Council:

With the introduction of the new system of municipal government, popularly known as the commission form, with its two-year terms of office and its continuity of policy, the day of the annual inauguration and its preliminary inauguration address, abounding in bewildering statistics and Utopian recommendations has passed into history, for immediately upon the administering of the oath of office to the newly elected officials, the city's business is taken up, without interruption, where it was left off at the end of the preceding year.

The new charter and the induction into office of the newly elected mayor and commissioners in January, 1912, made radical changes in the conduct of the city's business. The plans adopted for the first year of its operation, under the charter, have been the subject of much time and attention have been given in reply to these inquiries. Standing at my window in the mayor's office I have seen passing by, the business man, the capitalist, men of influence and property, mill managers and operatives, all hurrying on to provide for themselves and their families and futures, and paying no attention to political affairs; not one of them even looking toward the building in which five men are entrusted with the common interest of all. Many times during the year in the company of substantial men of affairs have I heard my colleagues and myself adversely criticised for alleged sins of commission and omission, the criticism almost invariably displaying the lack of knowledge of the critics.

I propose, therefore, at this time, to give a brief general history of the city during the first year of its existence under the commission form of government, hoping that our citizens will read it carefully. Our system is in an experimental stage; experience with it suggests from time to time certain changes. These will be made more apparent as the people and those connected with the city's affairs by longer and riper experience, glancing backward from the pathway of past accomplishments I believe that most of us, at least, are entitled to the approval of the people for having made sincere and intelligent endeavor toward the advancement of our civic interests, and that what we have done in this direction we have done honestly

and to the best of our ability under the circumstances. The city has a right to require of us larger service in the future because of the experience and knowledge of the city's necessities and requirements which have come to us during the year just closed, but, as I remarked one year ago upon assuming office, we have been and are building for the future, and material results can hardly be expected in the comparatively short period of one year.

Legacy of Debt

We entered upon our duties handicapped by a most discouraging legacy of debt. Some of our critics have expected us to remove this accumulation of a generation in one year, an utter



GEORGE H. BROWN Commissioner

impossibility, and in that respect we have not satisfied them. But reasonable men, those who take the trouble to familiarize themselves with city affairs, understand our position, and, I believe, are ready to give us credit where we have deserved it.

One of the advantages claimed for our new charter was that it would expedite the city's business, and this advantage has been proven time and again since the start. Instead of the old and tedious manner of getting business through the two branches in concurrence with the delay of committee approval in between, the commission has met weekly, and sometimes oftener, and in many cases the discussion of one hour has decided important improvements which heretofore would take months of deliberation and log-rolling, as an illustration, a health department stable that had been a favorite topic of discussion and contention annually for a decade was proposed last year.

The adjourned meeting of the municipal council was resumed this afternoon. The attendance was large and all seemed greatly interested in the proceedings. Commissioner James E. Donnelly was sworn into office by Clerk Flynn, and the different departments were assigned.

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 o'clock by Mayor James E. O'Donnell, and after that Mr. Donnelly was sworn into office.

The next business was to elect the president of the municipal council and Andrew E. Barrett was chosen. He took occasion to thank his fellow members.

Then the work of assigning departments was taken up and the vote was as follows:

For Brown for commissioner of finance—Barrett, Cummings, Donnelly and Mayor O'Donnell. Mr. Brown voted for Mr. Donnelly.

For streets and highways: Mr. Donnelly was chosen with all voting for him but Mr. Brown.

The water works and fire protection department was assigned to Alderman Barrett, although Mr. Brown voted for Mr. Cummings.

The commissioner of public property for 1913 will be Alderman Cummings, who received a unanimous vote.

Alderman Barrett made a motion that 250 copies of the mayor's address be printed and the cost to be paid from the commissioner's incidental fund.

The following constables were granted licenses: Bernard F. Gately, Daniel Emery, Jos. S. Lapierre, John McManus, Harry Demaras, William F. Boyle, Antoine E. Dragon, Jos. H. Gregoire, M. L. Crowley, Albert W. Branchard, Ezra B. Mansur, Nicholas D. Spyropoulos, John J. Pinder, Kazimer Padgorski.

The meeting on motion of Commissioner Barrett was then adjourned until Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

FIRE SWEEP CHAIN OF STORES

Disastrous Blaze in Brookline—Hot Air and Gas Explosions Endangered Crowd

BOSTON, Jan. 6.—One of the worst fires ever known in Brookline swept through a chain of stores extending from 1334 to 1350 Beacon street to Coolidge Corner early yesterday afternoon. At the height of it the lives of scores of spectators and firemen were endangered by terrific hot air and gas explosions which occurred simultaneously in four of the stores extending from 1342 to 1348 Beacon street.

The fronts of the four stores were completely blown out, and shattered plate glass and wood were hurled clear across Beacon street into the great crowd lined up on the electric car reservation. A panic ensued and men, women and children fell and trampled over one another in frantic effort to get out of the way.

Four Chinamen (Tow Sing, Tow Sam, Tow Ching and Tow Wing), together with T. James Craig of the Brookline wires and Hartford department, were in the laundry shop at 1348 Beacon street when the explosion occurred. Two of the Chinamen were blown through the window into the street, and all four

were badly cut and bruised about the face and body.

Craig, who had gone into the laundry to shut off the gas at the meter, had a narrow escape. His hair and eyelashes were badly burned. He was surrounded by flames and it was with great difficulty that he was able to grope his way out.

The explosion lifted the roof several feet, endangering the lives of a company of firemen at work upon it.

Combination 4, a three-horse hitch, stood in front of the laundry shop, and Bob, the high horse, was bowled over by the concussion. The two other horses started to run away, and for a moment they threatened to dash into several groups of firemen who were at work on the hose lines.

A six-year-old boy, frightened by the explosion, started to run and slipped in front of the horses. Selectman James F. Quinn, beside whom he had been standing, picked the lad up just as one horse was about to reach him. Police officers and others then jumped for the horses' heads and stopped them.

EXTENSION OF TIME

To Change Pleas Granted R. R. Officials

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—With today expires the time set by the court for a change in the pleas of not guilty recently entered by Charles S. Mellen, president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, and E. J. Chamberlin, president of the Grand Trunk railroad of Canada, indicted for violating the criminal clause of the Sherman anti-trust law for an alleged monopoly of traffic agreement in New England.

On the request of attorneys for the defendants an extension of time, in which to change the form of their pleas was granted by the court.

The defendants will have until next Monday, under this ruling, to demand or change their tentative pleas of not guilty, already entered.

When the case comes before Judge Hough in the federal court today John Lindsay, attorney for both Mellen

and Chamberlin, said that he had not had time to study the case and determine whether he wished to make any preliminary motions. The extension was granted at his request.

Law Annulled

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Jan. 6.—The Minnesota reciprocal demurrage law of 1907 was today annulled as unconstitutional by the supreme court of the United States.

No Inauguration at Lawrence

LAWRENCE, Jan. 6.—There were no inauguration exercises here today, two new aldermen being sworn in after which a regular business session was held. Alderman John S. Todd was assigned to the department of public health and charities and Alderman Alfred Bradbury to the department of public property and parks.

16th Inaugural of Mayor Ashley

NEW BEDFORD, Jan. 6.—Economy and retrenchment were emphasized by Mayor Charles Ashley in his sixteenth inaugural address today. With Mayor Ashley sworn into office Richard F. Knowles as president of the common council together with other officers chosen at the municipal election last December.

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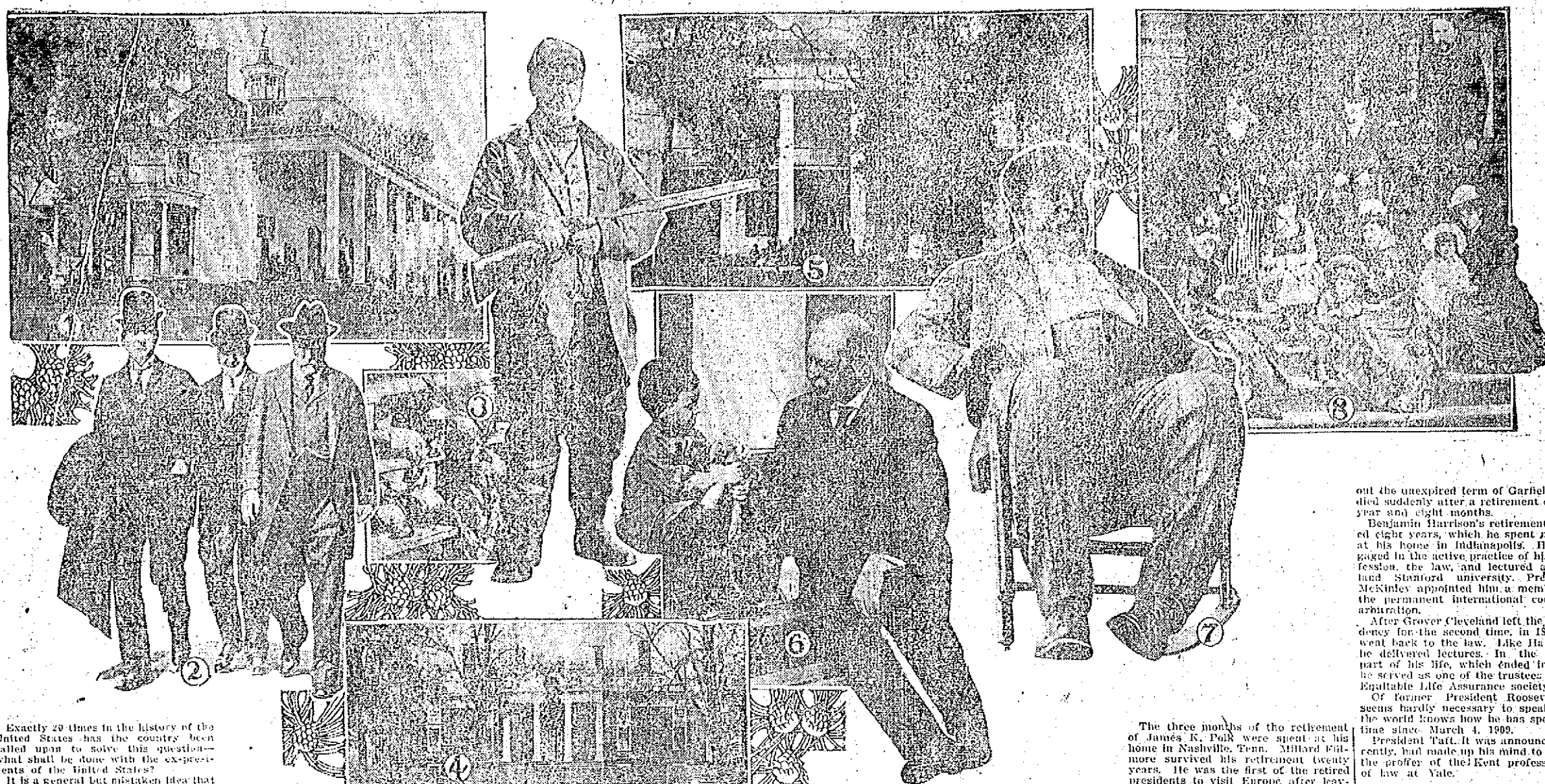
Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Colonial Hall, Sat. Eve., Jan. 11

Tickets on sale Dows' Drug Store, etc.

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United States Has Been Called Upon 20 Times to Solve Question of "What Shall Be Done With Its Ex-Presidents?"—What Some Have Done After Leaving Office



1—Mount Vernon, home of George Washington (photograph by American Press Association.) 2—Theodore Roosevelt walking on street after retirement. 3—Grover Cleveland at his favorite pastime, duck hunting, and 4, with his son on the steps of his Princeton home (photographs copyright by Underwood and Underwood.) 5—Monticello, home of Thomas Jefferson. 6—The Hermitage, home of Andrew Jackson. 7—President Taft taking it easy. 8—Grant with family at Mount McGregor.

Exactly 20 times in the history of the United States has the country been called upon to solve this question—what shall be done with the ex-presidents of the United States?

It is a general but mistaken idea that the ex-presidents have, as a rule, lived but a few years after leaving office. It is asserted frequently that the strain of guiding the ship of state wears down the helmsman to so great a degree that he dies soon after relinquishing the wheel. But the facts of history do not bear out this view. The records show that the average ex-president has lived 11 years and nine months after leaving the White House.

The oldest age attained was that of John Adams, who was 90 years old when he died on July 4, 1826. The youngest was that of James K. Polk, who passed away at the comparatively young age of 53 on June 15, 1849. The first Adams survived retirement longer than any other of the 19 presidents who have not died in office. He had been out of the presidency for 25 years and four months. Polk, besides being the youngest former president to die, had 1-1/2 of the White House only three months before he passed away. His was the shortest retirement.

It is well known, of course, that Washington passed at Mount Vernon the two years and nine months which intervened between his retirement from office and his death. His retirement was a true example of the "columbus dignitate," the rest with dignity,

of which the Romans wrote. But it was not an idle rest. Numerous affairs of business and the management of his great estate—Washington was one of the richest men of his time—occupied his "leisure."

Left Office in Anger

Washington's successor, John Adams, the first occupant of the White House, retired from it in a fit of anger over his failure to gain re-election and would not even wait to see his successor, Thomas Jefferson, inaugurated. He went to his home in Quincy, Mass., and passed the remaining twenty-five years of his life in "peaceful and happy seclusion, devoting himself to literary work relating to the history of his times." He served as an elector for Monroe, and in 1829 he took part in the convention held for the purpose of revising the Massachusetts constitution.

The latter days of Thomas Jefferson, spent at his home, Monticello, Va., about which so much controversy has raged recently, were saddened by the debts that eventually drove the estate into the hands of strangers to the Jefferson blood. Monticello also was overrun by hordes of visitors without warrant, who disturbed the rest of its owner and annoyed him with their intrusion. He was too hospitable to close Monticello's gates, but the intruders were sure to find him. He found compensation and solace in the visits of virtually all of the eminent men of his time who came to offer him homage and to seek advice from the "Sage of Monticello." In 1812 he was importuned to run again for president, but refused.

Jefferson's successor, James Madison, found a retreat at his home, Montpelier, Va., near the Jefferson estate. His farm, his books, his friends and his correspondence were the sources of his enjoyment and occupation during the twenty years of his retirement. Monroe also returned to a Virginia home and assisted Jefferson and Madison in establishing the University of Virginia. He served the state in other ways until 1839, when the death of his dearly beloved wife drove him to seek a refuge with his daughter in New York city, where he died.

John Quincy Adams Held Office

John Quincy Adams held federal office after leaving the White House. He served as a member of the national house of representatives, leading the anti-slavery men, and died of a stroke of apoplexy suffered on the floor of the house, on a spot in the capitol now marked by a brass plate and pointed out to all visitors to the building.

The Hermitage, Andrew Jackson's estate in Tennessee, was his haven after the storms of his long political life. There he lived for eight years after his retirement from the presidency, tilling the soil and taking an active part in politics. To the end he retained a keen interest in political affairs, especially in the annexation of Texas.

Van Buren was one of the few presidents to whom city life appealed, and the greater part of his retirement was spent in New York city. The first part, however, he passed at Lindenwald, a beautiful country estate in Columbia county, N. Y., and he died there. The last years of John Tyler, spent at his Virginia country home, were darkened by the division between the north and south. He upheld the confederate cause and was elected to the southern congress, but died before he could take his seat.

The three months of the retirement of James K. Polk were spent at his home in Nashville, Tenn. Millard Fillmore survived his retirement twenty years. He was the first of the retired presidents to visit Europe after leaving office. Afterward he became the "first citizen" of Buffalo. His successor, Franklin Pierce, remained abroad three years, and then retired to his home in Concord, N. H. There he took an active part in the Union discussions.

After the inauguration of Lincoln, his predecessor, James Buchanan, returned to his home at Wheatland, Pa., "rejoicing to be free from the cares of a long and responsible public life." As a private citizen he urged strongly the support of the government in its war for the Union.

Andrew Johnson kept up his political activity after his retirement from the presidency, endeavoring to obtain election in Tennessee to the house of representatives and to the senate. In the former aim he failed, but succeeded in the latter. He served only a short time before his death.

Grant, Hayes and Arthur

Grant's triumphant tour of the world, his business failure and the writing of his memoirs to pay his debts are well known. General Hayes devoted the remainder of his life after leaving the executive office to philanthropy and education. Arthur went back to his home in New York city after serving

out the unexpired term of Garfield and died suddenly after a retirement of one year and eight months.

Benjamin Harrison's retirement lasted eight years, which he spent mainly at his home in Indianapolis. He engaged in the active practice of his profession, the law, and lectured at Harvard Stanford university. President McKinley appointed him a member of the permanent international court of arbitration.

After Grover Cleveland left the presidency for the second time, in 1897, he went back to the law. Like Harrison, he delivered lectures. In the latter part of his life, which ended in 1905, he served as one of the trustees of the Equitable Life Assurance society.

Of former President Roosevelt it seems hardly necessary to speak. All the world knows how he has spent his time since March 4, 1909.

President Taft. It was announced recently, had made up his mind to accept the offer of the Kent professorship of law at Yale.

Left Office	Died
Washington.....1797	Dec. 14, 1799
Adams, J.....1801	July 4, 1826
Jefferson.....1809	July 4, 1826
Madison.....1817	June 28, 1836
Monroe.....1825	July 4, 1835
Adams, J. Q.....1829	Feb. 23, 1848
Jackson.....1837	June 8, 1845
Van Buren.....1841	July 2, 1862
Harrison, W. H., died in office.	
Tyler.....1845	Jan. 17, 1862
Polk.....1849	June 15, 1849
Taylor died in office.	
Pierce.....1853	Mar. 8, 1874
Fillmore.....1857	Oct. 8, 1898
Buchanan.....1861	June 1, 1868
Lincoln died in office.	
Johnson.....1869	July 3, 1875
Grant.....1877	July 23, 1885
Hayes.....1881	Jan. 17, 1893
Garfield died in office.	
Arthur.....1885	Nov. 18, 1886
Cleveland.....1897	

(Second term)..... June 24, 1909
Harrison, B.....1893 Mar. 13, 1901
McKinley died in office.
Roosevelt.....1909
Taft will leave office March 4.

DR. R. E. BELL DEAD

Passed Away at His Home Saturday

PROMINENT PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON FOR MANY YEARS

Was Also Associate Medical Examiner and Served in the Spanish American War

Dr. Robert E. Bell, the well-known surgeon and associate medical examiner of Lowell, died Saturday evening, at his home, 282 Andover street, after an illness of about a year. Deceased was 51 years old, and his death had been expected for some time.

Dr. Bell was born in Sackville, N. B., and was educated in Addison college there. Later he attended the medical school of the University of New York, and after graduation, received his practical training in the hospitals of that city. He came to Lowell 25 years ago, and was associated with the late Dr. Irish in the Flske building on Central street. Dr. Bell's reputation as a surgeon increased from year to year, until his career was arrested by illness. He was also known as a specialist in throat, eye and ear diseases.

At the outbreak of the Spanish war Dr. Bell was a captain in the Ambulance corps of the M. V. M., but later he enlisted in the regular army, in which his services as a surgeon brought him signal honors. During the war he served in the typhoid camp at Tampa, and in the hospitals of Newport News

and Montauk. At the close of the war he returned to Lowell and resumed his practice, carrying on his regular work until a year ago when he was taken ill.

He leaves a wife and daughter. The daughter, Ellen, is the child of his first marriage to Grace Mansur. On May 18, 1907, Dr. Bell married Luthenne Mackay, who survives him.

When Dr. Joe V. Meigs was appointed to the position of medical examiner several years ago to succeed Dr. Irish, Dr. Bell was appointed associate medical examiner, which position he held until his death.

He was a former captain of the Ambulance corps, and went with that body to Boston. There he succeeded Capt. Myler Standish, and later retired as a lieutenant-colonel.

He was highly esteemed by his fellow members of the medical profession, as among the militia to whom he endeared himself during the Spanish war.

MATHEWS HELD MEETING

And Installed Officers for Ensuing Year

A largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Mathew Temperance Institute was held yesterday morning in its quarters in Button street. Two new members were admitted to membership and several propositions for membership were received. The report of the treasurer of the recent musical entertainment showed that the musical was successful, socially and financially.

Under new business came the installation of the officers elected at the last meeting. The officers installed were: President, John J. Guthrie; vice president, John E. O'Neill; spiritual adviser, Rev. Dr. D. J. Kelcher; treasurer, Peter F. Brady; recording secretary, George F. Briggan; financial secretary, James F. Bourke; marshal, George H. O'Neill; board of trustees, Patrick H. Crowley, Bernard A. Connors, John H. McKinnon, board of examiners, Francis H. Kelley, Edward A. Welch, Henry Dannerfeldt; literary committee, Edward A. Letterell, Harry Welch, James F. Rilly.

After the installation exercises President Guthrie by a neat speech thanked the members for the honor conferred by them, and he assured them that he would work hard and earnestly for the success of the institute and he hoped to show to the members at the expiration of his term in office that their faith in him had not been misplaced.

A communication from the St. Patrick's day convention was received. The following delegates were chosen to represent the society: Peter F. Brady, John E. O'Neill, Fred Marlow, President John J. Guthrie, John M. Coughlin, James J. Gallagher and Geo. R. O'Neill.

A committee of three members was appointed to confer with a like committee from the St. Charles T. A. society of Woburn as to the advisability of having series of tournaments between the societies which in the past has been a source of pleasure to the members and their friends.

Preparations were made for the annual Easter Monday party. A committee of five members was appointed by the president to bring in a committee of twenty-five to make the necessary arrangements for the affair.

In the afternoon the M. V. T. Bachelorette girls held a meeting in the main hall. Reports were received from the treasurer on the Character party conducted by them last Thursday evening, which showed that the affair was a success in every particular. A special meeting of the girls will be held Tuesday evening, at which very important business will come up.

Chocolate Pudding
One and a half cupsful of fine cracker crumbs, one egg, four table-spoonfuls of molasses, three cupsful of milk, a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt, one cupful of sultana raisins, two squares of melted chocolate and one teaspoonful of vanilla extract. Soak the cracker crumbs in the milk for 29 minutes, then add the remaining ingredients, turn into a well buttered mold, cover with buttered paper and steam steadily for four hours. Turn out and serve with cream sauce.

OLD CRAFTS REVIVED

Homespuns Are Coming Back in England

The latest thing in England is to array your husband in homespuns of your own making or, if you haven't a husband, to wear a scarf or a waist of which you have woven the stuff yourself.

If you are of a sentimental turn of mind or suffer from a romantic strain in your soul makeup and wish to keep your dear departed Piff ever with you save the combings of your pet while he is still among the living and when a reasonable amount has been accumulated and cleaned, spin and weave it into a wonderfully soft, silky fabric, to be used for various purposes, generally a little couch spread or sofa cushion top. Though some would object to this, it is surely a better-memento of a faithful pet than the stiff, stuffed figure in a glass case that is seen occasionally.

In the marked endeavor of the advanced woman to show that she really has no intention of neglecting her duties and leaving the sphere which man believes so adamantly she should occupy, she is reviving all the old arts and crafts which were peculiarly hers in the good old days when a woman was only a woman. But that isn't the only reason why spinning is coming into its own again. There is another very modern reason for that—it is good for the nerves.

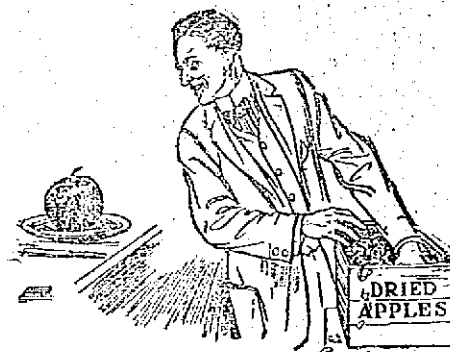
The continuous hum and the regular movement of the wheel have a wonderfully soothing effect, and, besides, this is work of a placid, leisurely sort that keeps the pleasing results, which is the only kind of work in which one should indulge when one is excited or restless.

There will be a meeting of the directors of the board of trade this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The tremendous congestion of freight in the B. & M. yards is reported to be partly relieved and things are being handled more easily.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

You Wouldn't Eat Dried Apples if a Juicy Pippin Were Handy!



Then why should you fill your pipe with chopped-up, dried-out tobacco, that cannot keep fresh in a tin can, when you can cut your tobacco fresh from the plug and get a sweeter, cooler, more fragrant smoke.

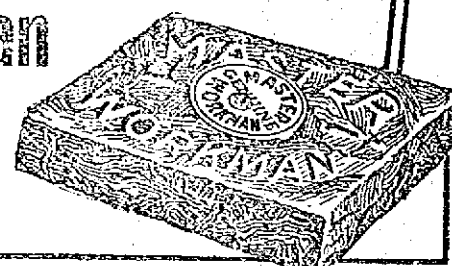
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SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL GRAND UNION SERVICE

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Very Busy of All Parishes

The members of Branch O'Neill-Crowley, No. 538, Irish National Foresters, met in regular session yesterday afternoon in the Leather Workers' hall on Central street, with a good attendance. Chief Ranger Patrick Linehan presided over the gathering and during the afternoon, six new members were initiated and several applications for membership acted upon. James Cryan read the report of the auditor and it is evident from the statements that the order is in encouraging financial condition.

A feature of the meeting was the installation of the officers recently elected for the ensuing term. Subordinate High in Chief, William M. O'Neill and assistants of Lawrence, officiated at the ceremony of installation. The new officers are: Chief ranger, James Cryan; sub-chief ranger, Chas. Shanley; past chief ranger, Patrick Linehan; treasurer, James W. McKenna; financial secretary, Thomas O'Neill; secretary, Daniel J. Healy; senior woodward, William J. Burke; junior woodward, Hugh McQuade; senior beadle, Michael Nugent; junior beadle, Thomas McNamara; trustees, Patrick Sexton, Thomas Hogan and Timothy Daley; physician, Dr. J. J. Cassidy.

There was a short entertainment and among the pleasing numbers were songs by Brothers Linehan, Costello and James Garvey of Lawrence. Several of the officers gave brief addresses on the progress of the society and a social hour closed the session.

Central Council, A. O. H.

Central Council, Ancient Order of Hibernians, held a regular meeting Sunday afternoon in Hibernian hall and transacted a large amount of routine business. Arrangements were completed for the joint installations of officers of all the various divisions which is to take place on Thursday evening, January 9. Among the esteemed guests which are to be present on this occasion are state president, Patrick J. Gannon and county president, James T. Harold. There will also be an entertainment and refreshments, and some good addresses from prominent men.

Order of Buffaloes

A largely attended meeting of Lowell Herd, No. 10, Benevolent Order of Buffaloes, took place in Odd Fellows' hall yesterday afternoon, and during the session 15 candidates were initiated and applications received, showing the great growth in membership of the organization. There will be an initiation on next Sunday afternoon when a very large class will become Buffaloes.

On next Sunday there will also be held the installation of the new officers, and Supreme Secretary Charles H. Finn and suite will officiate at this ceremony. A social hour and entertainment closed yesterday's gathering.

SWEDISH SOCIETY MEETS

Newly Elected Officers Were Installed—The Organization Has Enjoyed Extremely Rapid Growth

The installation of the newly elected officers of Nornan, No. 75, order of the Vasa, took place in Highland hall on Saturday night, with Deputy Swagard of Lawrence, officiating. The officers to be installed were the following: Past President, Albert Carlson; president, Carl Andersson; vice-president, Oscar Linquist; secretary, Erik Danielson; vice-secretary, Bina Svenson; financial secretary, John Lundberg; treasurer, Carl Herntson; chaplain, Fredrik Elnabom; master of ceremonies, Anna Carlsson; second master of ceremonies, Anna Andersson; warden, Sigurd Hmongren; sentry, Petrus Pearson; pianist, Jenny Peterson.

Following this ceremony the new officers were the hosts at a supper and entertainment for all the members of the society and this feature was greatly enjoyed. The main hall was tastefully decorated with banners, plants and flowers and presented an attractive scene with the numerous tables also prettily adorned.

This organization is one of the most prosperous in Lowell and great interest in its welfare is evinced by the members at all times. It comprises both sexes among its members and has made wonderful progress during past years. The affair of Saturday night was one of great enjoyment to all.

Telephone Alarm of Fire

A telephone alarm at 2:20 o'clock yesterday afternoon was for a grass fire on land in High street belonging to the Donohue estate. The fire was extinguished before any damage was done.

WILL BE HELD AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

On Sunday Evening, Jan. 13—Many Parish Reunions Will Take Place This Month—Schools Respected

The services of all the Catholic churches yesterday forenoon and evening were attended by very large congregations and the preachers of the day delivered eloquent and instructive discourses on timely topics.

Union Service

A grand union service in which all the Holy Name societies from all the Catholic parishes of Lowell will take part is to be held at the church of the Immaculate Conception on Sunday evening, January 13. The service will open at half past six o'clock and the clergymen who will officiate will be the spiritual directors of the various Holy Name organizations. There will be solemn benediction and an excellent musical program is being rehearsed to be rendered on this occasion by a selected choir. A special sermon will be delivered by Rev. D. A. Sullivan, O. M. L. of the Immaculate Conception church.

Yesterday announcements were made at the masses in all the churches to the effect that during the week the members of the Holy Name societies will meet to complete arrangements for the union service. The branch of St. Patrick's parish will meet on Wednesday evening, on Sunday, January 13, also, the various societies will go to communion in a body at their home churches and after the mass communion breakfasts will be served as usual.

Parish Reunions Planned

Several of the parishes of the city are planning their annual reunions which will take place during this month. That of St. Michael's is scheduled to be observed on Tuesday evening, January 23, in Mathew hall, and the committees have already been appointed. St. Columba's reunion is to be held in Associate hall on Tuesday, January 21, and arrangements for this event are practically completed. The affair under the auspices of the members of St. Peter's parish will take place in Associate hall on the evening of Tuesday, January 23. The men and women of this parish are requested to meet Wednesday night to make arrangements for this social gathering and to appoint committees to take charge of the different features.

Schools Respected

This morning the pupils of the parochial schools returned to their studies after a vacation which lasted through the holidays.

SOME FINE SINGERS

Will Appear at Choral Society Concert

The Choral society at its coming concert January 20 will present to the Lowell public a quartet of vocalists which it will be difficult to surpass in the concert field. They are Miss Marie Stoddart, soprano; Miss Rose Bryant, contralto; Lambert Murphy, tenor; Charles N. Granville, baritone.

The tickets for the concert are now in the hands of the members of the chorus and at the stores of Kershaw, 177 Central street, and Steinhilber's, 130 Merrimack street. The society presents an exceptionally brilliant list of soloists and two very fine choral works, with a program between the two works by the soloists and orchestra. The society will feel itself fully rewarded for its efforts and expense if the same interest is manifested in its work as was evidenced last season, and from the way the tickets have already been called for there seems to be even a greater interest. This is certainly



LAMBERT MURPHY.

gratifying to those who are endeavoring to foster a deeper interest in musical matters in the city.

Lambert Murphy is a first principal of New York Metropolitan Opera Company and a concert artist in widespread demand. He has a beautiful resonant tenor voice, a finished style and a positive personality. Under his arrangement with the Metropolitan Opera Co., Mr. Murphy is permitted to accept a limited number of concert engagements and the Choral society is among the fortunate ones to secure him.

At Worcester, the Maine, the Springfield, the Albany, the Nashua and the Keene music festivals, this talented singer took first place among the ranking tenors of the day. As one writer says: "He won artistic and popular success because they were deserved, and he will keep on winning for the very same reason."

There are equally fervid expressions in praise of the other soloists and it is safe to say that with these artists, and the Boston Festival orchestra to furnish the instrumental portion of the program, the Choral society is bound to shine at the coming concert as it has not for many years.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

BUILD UP NEW ENGLAND

The Industrial Bureau of the New England Railroad Lines invites the co-operation of merchants, manufacturers and business men for the upbuilding of New England.

In 18 months to November last, 68 manufacturing firms, representing an investment of \$2,600,000, have been established in New England as the direct result of the work of the New England Lines "Industrial Bureau" in co-operation with chambers of commerce, boards of trade and business associations in New England.

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CHURCHES TO UNITE HURLEY INAUGURATED NEW FASHIONS FOR MEN

Central and Worthen St. M. E. Come Together

Present indications are that the Worthen Street M. E. church and the Central M. E. church will unite. Action was taken at the Worthen Street M. E. church yesterday favoring the union of that church with the Central M. E. the vote taking place after the morning service.

The members of the Central M. E. church did not take action yesterday but a special meeting of the church members will be held tonight to vote on the matter. When both churches have acted and in the event of both of them favoring the plan, the matter will be referred to the bishop and the quarterly conference for final judgment. Thus it will not be decided upon probably before April, when the bishop's action will become known.

SACRED CANTATA

Of Bethlehem Ably Presented by the Vested Choir of St. Anne's Church Last Night

The sacred cantata "Bethlehem" by Maunder, was presented by the vested choir of St. Anne's Episcopal church last night. The church was crowded to the doors and long before the time for the opening of the service it was necessary to close the doors.

The cantata throughout contains beautiful music and the entire work was given by the choir, the choristers of the church sustaining the solo parts. Mr. Charles Brown, organist and choir-master, had general charge and the presentation of the cantata reflects much credit on his ability as a conductor. The choir was assisted by Miss Alice Rogers Leith, who played the piano accompaniment.

During the early part of the evening Rev. Samuel H. Jobe gave a short address on the work. He spoke in part as follows:

"Great events have been immortalized as far back as we have any records of the history of man. They ought to be because they are the very best kind of encouragement to us, inspiring us to find new ways of developing the divine powers which we possess. That, however, is not sufficient. The personalities which were responsible for great and noble acts are constantly called to mind by thoughts of them on the day that brought them, as Wordsworth put it, 'trailing clouds of immortality to earth.'"

Mayor of Salem Under New Charter

SALEM, Jan. 6.—John F. Hurley, four times mayor of Salem under the old charter, was inaugurated today as the first chief executive under the new commission form of government. He will serve three years.

In his address to his four fellow directors constituting the new city government Mayor Hurley severely criticized the police department, declaring that the management of the department by previous administrations had been "farce comedy." He recommended motor patrol and ambulance wagons, two new fire stations, a new playground for the "Point" district, new city ordinances to conform with the new charter, making athletics and domestic science compulsory studies in the high school and a meeting of the city council every three months in every ward in the city.

PROGRESSIVE CLUB

Large Attendance at Meeting in Billerica—Interesting Addresses and Enjoyable Entertainment

There was a large attendance at the meeting of the Billerica Progressive Club in the parlors of Bennett hall, Friday night. Many guests were present and the enthusiasm shown augurs well for the success of the organization.

President F. A. D. Singh called the meeting to order with a short address of welcome. It was voted to endorse the proposed amendment to the constitution for the election of United States senators by popular vote. Dr. C. E. Hosmer made the motion and it was carried by a large majority.

Refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed. Mrs. A. Gertrude Tuttle was the accompanist for the evening.

The following program was rendered: Piano solo, Mrs. Gertrude Tuttle; song, Mrs. Maud Evans; selection by orchestra, Mrs. Harriet Wheeler; Miss Myrtle King, Forrest F. Collier; remarks, Daniel Cosgrove of Lowell; piano solo, Mrs. Tuttle; duet, Mrs. Edith Evans and Miss Edna Robinson; music, orchestra; remarks, Dr. C. E. Hosmer; remarks, Gustave Thoninen.

A letter from the progressive party of Massachusetts, inviting the ladies to attend a luncheon to be held in the Bellevue hotel in Boston, Jan. 2, at 1 o'clock, was read.

Tend to Tightfistedness, Not Tightfistedness

The local knights of the sheers (tailors, of course, not barbers), the athletically built young men of Lowell, and all the girls of our fair city will chuckle with delight when they learn of the recently promulgated ukase of the Custom Cutters club, setting forth that the new fashion in men's dress will tend toward tightfistedness. Narrow shoulders and jerk-in-like trousers will be the mode. With this style in vogue it's a good bet that the tailors will save a yard of cloth and a pound of padding in the making of each suit which they sell to skinnay men. Hereafter they must have felt like biting their lips with chagrin on thinking of the waste of cloth when some long-legged featherweight, to be in style, would direct them to make the shoulders of his coat as wide as those of a normally developed man, and a little bit more, and to displace the vacuum which necessarily resulted with a couple of

pounds of excelsior. This handy stuff as everybody knows, converts the leanest gentleman into as shapely a specimen of manhood as Charley Brickley, the Apollo-like football hero. Again, the tailors will welcome the change in styles because in following them they can fit the skinnay gentleman with less difficulty than they previously experienced. As all alters know, the "rail" is the hardest to please of the many-fallor men upon whom they lay their tape measures. He is the quintessence of exactness. He is more precise than a girl of 50 summers. Every part of his coat must fit every bone in his shoulders; his trousers must be so cut that the keenest eye will not suspect he is knock-kneed. Of course, if the cloth shrinks a particle, thereby slightly exposing any of his malformations, he flies into a rage and if he does not demand that a new suit be made for him he at least gives vent to his injured feelings by "knocking" the work turned out by the unlucky prospective customers with whom he comes in contact.

The deception practiced by these raw boned fellows, too, is somewhat exasperating to us gentlemen who are endowed with well rounded forms. These not being possessed by every man walking along Merrimack street. It naturally follows that we like to have this distinctive quality noticed. Consequently it is galling to see the walking malformations of skin and bone showing off what are really made-up-you-wait shapes around the "square" yet receiving innumerable admiring glances to which they have not the shadow of a claim. These physical dismembers, we must admit, do look like the genuine article, but they are imposters, imposters pure and simple. An imposter is one who "flies under false colors." Do you know what the penalty for this offense was in the Swiss navy not so many years ago? Death! Such should be the punishment meted out to these present day "Biers under false colors."

Think, too, of the desolating consequences, the blighted hopes, the heart-rending disillusionment that these scoundrels cause among women, lovely and almost-lovely women. As all the admiration of woman is given, first of all, to the man with the perfect build; never to the gent with the imperfect one. Now, how do these catfishes circumvent the preference thus shown by women? Well, from time immemorial they have been as foxes as they have been cold-bloodedly unscrupulous. (Remember how Julius Caesar got cold feet whenever the name of that walking yardstick, Cassius, was mentioned?) Knowing of the before-mentioned feminine trait, these dishonorable, cheating, pusillanimous knaves say to themselves, "plenty of feathers will make a fine bird," and they themselves to the most skillful tailors, have suits constructed that

give them the appearance of regular Y. M. C. A. physical directors, and by means of these false colors, carrying the hearts of innumerable confiding girls by storm, envelope the innocent doves into bestowing on them for all time their hands and, in many cases, their fortunes.

From now on, however,—thanks to the Custom Cutters club—the "square-rib" will be compelled to show himself in all the scrappiness of his bony shape, and the local tailors who have long groined under his preposterous exactions in the matter of excelsior, formation of a proper "shape" according to the dictates of their consciences and their pocketbooks; and who have long endured the grievance of having an interloper share with us in the admiration which outwardly manly contour excites shall receive that meed of homage which should have been exclusively ours.

FUNERAL NOTICES

CURRY—The funeral of Miss Anna Curry will take place Tuesday morning from the rooms of Undertaker J. F. Rogers, 445 Gorham street, at 3:15 a. m. There will be solemn services at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock.

OSGOOD—Died in this city, Jan. 4, at the home of his son, John A. Osgood, 117 Bowers street, Dr. George C. Osgood, aged 74 years. The funeral services will be held at his home, 117 Bowers street, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend. Arrangements are in charge of Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck.

BELL—Died in this city, Jan. 4, at his home, 253 Andover street, Dr. Robert E. Bell, aged 51 years. The funeral services will take place on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at his home, 253 Andover street. Friends are kindly requested not to send flowers. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Henley.

HEBERT—The funeral of Mrs. Dora Hebert will be held tomorrow morning from her home, 6 Dane avenue, at 9:30 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker Amadeo Archambault.

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FUNERALS

SULLIVAN—The funeral of Catherine F. Sullivan, a well known resident of Cambridge, took place yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from her home, 19 Jewett street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes including a large pillow inscribed "Sister" and "Aunt," from Mr. and Mrs. Daniel F. Sullivan and family; large wreath on base, inscribed "Good Bye Sister," Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sullivan, pillow, inscribed "Sister," Edward F. Sullivan, wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius F. Sullivan, cross on base, inscribed "Farewell Aunt Katie," Mr. and Mrs. Charles McQuarrie, crescent on base, inscribed "Asleep in Jesus," Miss Mary Sullivan, wreath, inscribed "At Rest," Mr. and Mrs. Daniel L. Sullivan, cross on base, inscribed "At Rest," employees of the boot cloth room and shipping department, wreath, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Keyes, wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Conroy and family, spray, Mrs. Margaret Shea and family, spray, Mr. and Mrs. John Carney. The bearers were Cornelius F. Sullivan, Daniel F. Sullivan, Timothy F. Sullivan, Henry J. Sullivan and Edward F. Sullivan, all her brothers, and John Sullivan, a cousin. At the grave, Rev. John J. Shaw read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. In charge of Undertakers J. E. O'Donnell & Sons.

TAISEY—Gladie Grace Taisey, youngest daughter of William E. and Bernice Taisey, died Saturday at the home of her parents, 164 School street. The funeral took place in the afternoon and the burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery. Undertaker Wm. H. Saunders was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

RICHARDSON—The funeral of Miss Sarah Richardson took place Saturday afternoon from her home in Westford. The services were conducted by Rev. David Wallace, pastor of the Congregational church at Westford. Appropriate selections were sung by a quartet composed of Mrs. Charles Colburn, Miss Grace Lambert, Arthur A. Day and Horton G. Osgood. The bearers were Messrs. William Fletcher, Elmer Whidden, Ames Pelly and William W. Johnson. The burial was in the family lot in the Fairview cemetery at Westford. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

BALL—The funeral services of Chas. C. Ball were held Saturday afternoon at his home, 90 Whitney avenue, and were largely attended. Rev. Caleb E. Fisher, D. D., pastor of the First Universalist church, officiating. There were many beautiful floral offerings, among which were the following: Sheaf of wheat from his family, compass and square from Haverhill Lodge, A. F. A. M.; wreath from the Masonic club, M.; wreath from the Masonic club, M.

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BOWLES—The funeral services of William D. Bowles were held yesterday afternoon at his home, 6 Venable avenue, at 2:30 o'clock, and were largely attended. Rev. Forrester A. Macdonald, pastor of the Fifth Street Baptist church, officiated. There were many floral offerings, which included: Large pillow inscribed "Husband and Father" from the family; wreath of roses and forget-me-nots, sweet peas and narcissi, from Mr. and Mrs. J. Wood and family and Miss Florence Hartwell; sheaf of wheat, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cronin and Arthur Cronin; spray of carnations, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Williams; spray of white roses, Miss Pugh; spray of pink and narcissi, the Palmer Bible class; spray of pink and narcissi, Hon. John T. Sparks; spray inscribed "Good-bye," Charles Leo McCarthy. The bearers were Messrs. George Lawton, W. H. Cronin, E. R. Williams, Elton Scholfield, J. W. Wood and Harold Housell. The burial took place in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Macdonald. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

SOUZA—The funeral of Mesheho Souza took place yesterday morning at 11 o'clock from the home of her mother, Maria Souza, 12 Tyler street. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough & Sons in charge.

POSBERG—Frederick B. Posberg, aged 41, a coremaker by trade, died at his home, 2045 New York st., Lynn, Friday morning, after an illness of three weeks. He had suffered about four years with heart trouble and on Friday morning, hopes were held out by the attending physicians for his recovery, but at 10 o'clock he died.

He was born in this city and learned the trade of coremaker in Peavey's foundry. He had lived in Lynn about six years and in that time, when health would permit, he worked for H. H. Hood as a tanner and for the General Electric company at his trade.

While in this city he attended the Worthen Street Baptist church and was prominent in the work of the Christian Endeavor society there. He was educated in the public schools and was graduated from the Varum school.

He leaves his wife, Eva B., his father, Oscar A., of Lowell, and a sister, Mrs. Emerson N. McLean, also of Lowell. While in Lynn he attended the First Baptist church.

He was a member of Company M, M. V. M., a first sergeant, acting as Lieutenant.

The funeral services were held at his home, Sunday afternoon, and were conducted by Rev. Addison Larimer, pastor of the First Baptist church, of which he was a member. Appropriate selections were sung by a quartet from the church choir. The burial was in the Edson cemetery this morning at 10 o'clock.

McQUAIDE—The funeral services of James C. McQuaide were held yesterday at 2:30 o'clock, at his home, 12 Hession street, Rev. James Baneroff, of St. John's church officiating. The services were attended by many relatives and friends. The bearers were four of his sons, William, Walter, James and George McQuaide. The burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. Undertakers Young & Blake were in charge of the funeral arrangements.

BOYNTON—The funeral services of Mrs. Lucinda P. Boynton were held yesterday at 3 o'clock, at her home, 1214 Graham street, Rev. N. W. Matthews officiating. The body will be taken to Bradford, N. H., for burial on Monday. Undertakers Young & Blake were in charge of the funeral arrangements.

NICHOLS—The funeral of Arthur B. Nichols took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, from his home, 8 Loring street. The services were conducted by Rev. Samuel H. Jobe, assistant pastor of St. Anne's Episcopal church. The following delegations acted as bearers: Messrs. Walter S. Goodall, Scott M. Hickford, Sidney Aldrich and Charles F. Dowley, representing the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, division 61, and Messrs. George S. Gilman and Charles M. Tarney, representing Columbia council, 33, Order of United American Mechanics. There were many out-of-town relatives and friends present, among them being Mr. Nichols' brother-in-law,

Many Innovations in Hairdressing That Will Prove Popular With the Ladies During the Winter Season



There is one article on the hair list that women this season are indifferent about, and they don't care a rap whether it is revised up or down—false hair. The high case of this "bought" commodity may soar and soar without causing a quail to the conscience of fair femininity. Of course, my dear girl, you never have had a hard time in this direction, and this winter fashion says that you won't have to, for no puffs, rats or curls (artificial) are to adorn the head of the smart woman.

Simpler is the vogue in hairdressing just at present, as it is all through the realm of fashion, and the new mode of arranging the hair, the "valentine culture" is the latest Parisian fad.

The soft lines of this coiffure make even a middle-aged woman look years younger than when she wore her hair in the rolls and puffs, which give such a hard and set expression to the face. This is all done away with by the soft waves of hair falling over the temples and down over the ears in the new hairdressing. Now for instructions for making the "valentine coiffure." First take a small portion of the hair at the back of the head and make a tight knot. This gives a foundation to pin to. Then part the hair for ruffling breaks the hairs and is very destructive of hirsute growth.

There is another phase of the "valentine culture" that is particularly popular at the extreme right and draw loosely over the ear, pinning it firmly to the knot at the back. The left side is drawn down almost to the right eye, covering the ear. To make this coiffure really smart both ears must be covered. The disposition of the left side of the hair is very simple. All you have to do is to bring the hair around over the firm little knot and roll under lengthwise of the head, catching it in place with a fancy comb.

Great care should be taken in the selection of the comb which holds the knot in position, as one too large or too gaudy spoils the simplicity of the coiffure. For day time any kind of an inconspicuous tortoise shell ornament, preferably an affair boasting knob ornaments, is smart, and for evening a rhinestone comb is very effective.

The hair for this coiffure must be prettily undulated, but there should be no suspicion of ruffling. This in itself should recommend the fashion, and then held smoothly under a net. At one side of the knot are two large amber pins. At the opposite side is a fancy comb, also of amber.

DEATHS

WYLLIE—A wide circle of friends will be pained to learn of the death of Mrs. Margaret Wyllie, wife of John Wyllie, Saturday at her home, 3 May street. Mrs. Wyllie had been ill for three days. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church, which she attended as recently as Sunday last. She leaves a husband, one daughter, Annie M., and one brother, William Macdonald, of Dundee, Quebec.

HESON—Thomas Heson, aged 62 years, 5 months, 21 days, died Saturday evening at his home, 131 Perkins street. He leaves two sons, August and Pierre, of this city, and also a daughter, Mrs. Pierre Ducharme of this city.

DON—Roy A. Don, infant son of Alfred P. and Lucy Don, died yesterday at the Lowell General hospital, aged one month. His body was taken to the rooms of Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons.

CURRY—Miss Annie Curry, a resident of St. Patrick's parish and who has for some years lived at 60 Race street, died on Saturday at St. John's hospital. Her body was taken to the undertaking rooms of Undertaker J. K. Rogers.

JORDAN—Thomas Jordan, formerly a resident of this city, and a past employee of the Lowell Gas Light company, died at the city hospital in Boston Friday morning. He leaves a wife, Delia, two daughters and a son; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Prendeville and Miss Della Jordan, both of this city, a father and three brothers in England. The remains will be brought to this city for burial.

HEBERT—Mrs. Desire Hebert, aged 55 years, died Saturday at her home, 5 Lane avenue. She leaves, besides her husband, several sons and daughters.

FAITEROK—Mrs. Maria Fajterok, aged 38 years, died yesterday morning at the Chelmsford Street hospital. The body was removed to the home, 15 Front street.

OSGOOD—Dr. George C. Osgood, for the past 60 years, one of the city's prominent residents, passed away late Saturday night at the home of his son, John A. Osgood, 117 Bowers street. He leaves one brother, Edward P. Osgood of Somerville; a sister, Mrs. Joseph W. York of Roxbury, Mass.; three sons, John A., George W. and C. Harry, and one daughter, Mrs. O. D. White of Taunton. He is survived also by six grandchildren.

Dr. Osgood, when a young boy, came to this city with his parents from West Newbury, Mass., where he was born Dec. 22nd in the year 1832. He began work in the office of Dr. Allen in Hurd street and remained in the latter's employ through early manhood. On Mar. 7, 1856, he was graduated from the Harvard Medical school. In 1863, during the Civil war, Dr.

OSGOOD experienced an interruption to his medical pursuits when he received an appointment as acting assistant surgeon under Admiral Porter and served three years. Later he was with General Banks on the Red river expedition.

He had an interest in the drug store located at the corner of Suffolk and Merrimack streets and was dean of the Lowell druggists' organization for many years. The deceased was an old and esteemed member of St. John's church, and after its disbanding he joined the First Congregational society.

QUINN—James J. Quinn, aged 43 years, died last night at the Blanchard sanitarium, Pleasant street, Dracut. He is survived by one brother, Michael J. Quinn. His remains were removed to the undertaking rooms of James W. McKenna, 419 Bridge street.

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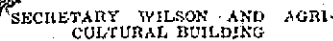
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MASS. SCHOOL SYSTEM SECOND

Sage Foundation Investigation Gives Our Schools Second Rank Among 48 States

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The results of the latest study conducted by the Russell Sage foundation were made public in Bulletin 124 of the foundation's division of education, under the title "A Comparative Study of State School Systems in the Forty-Eight States." According to this report, the state school system of Massachusetts takes second place in general efficiency among the systems of the 48 states of the Union. Some of the disclosures made in the report are of striking significance.

The Shortest School Year

Rhode Island has the longest school year of any state—193 days—but if these 193 days of schooling were divided equally among the children of school age in the state, the result would be 116 days of schooling each. The report traces this "defective" school year, and compares the 48 states on that basis. The results of this comparison show that this state provides 131 days of schooling for every child of school age. In reality a quarter of the states the effective school year is less than three months. As a nation, the United States has a shorter school day, a shorter school

week, and a shorter school year than any other highly civilized country in the world.

Half a Billion a Year

Our expenditures for public education have more than doubled in the past ten years. Today, the people of the United States spend nearly half a billion dollars a year on their public schools. The expenditure per child of school age ranges all the way from \$3 in South Carolina to nearly eleven times as much, or \$32, in Washington. The amount that the state has invested in school buildings is an index of its past interest in education. In Massachusetts the average investment per child in school buildings and property is \$4, while in Massachusetts it is nearly 25 times as much, or \$115. In current expenditure per child of school age, this state takes 4th place among the 48 states. A significant fact in connection with this expenditure for school property is that as a nation we allow our public schools to burn down at the rate of more than one for every school day in the year.

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MOTION PICTURE FILMS

11,000 Miles Exported From U. S. in 1912

Eleven thousand miles of motion picture film, 30 million dollars' worth of automobiles, a million dollars' worth of telephones, and more than \$160,000 worth of aeroplanes were among the exports from the United States in the year just ended.

The United States is the world's largest producer of motion picture film, and the quantity exported during the year aggregated more than 50 million feet, approximately 11,000 miles, or enough to stretch from New York to Manila.

The popularity of the American automobile is also evidenced by the fact that the exports of automobiles and parts thereof, including tires, approximately 30 million dollars in 1912, against 22 million in 1911, 15 million in 1910, and 9 million in 1909. Telephones have only been separately stated in the export figures since the middle of 1911, but sufficient data is at hand to justify the statement that the exports of 1912 are more than a million dollars in value. Aeroplanes have only been shown as a separate class since the middle of 1911, but the figures at hand indicate that the value of the year's exports will be about \$125,000.

A striking fact shown by the automobile figures is the marked decline in the price at which the machines are exported. In 1907 the average export price was nearly \$1800 per machine; in 1909, \$1470; in 1911, about \$1000; and in 1912, a little less than \$900 each, the average export price at the present time being thus but little more than one-half that of 1907. The average price of aeroplanes exported in 1912 was about \$3400 per machine.

The automobiles exported are sold chiefly in British territory. Of the 21,791 machines exported in the 11 months ending with November, 1884 went to Canada, 4371 to the United Kingdom, and 3,112 to British Oceania. Of the motion picture film exported, over three-fourths went to the United Kingdom.

Cricket Club Meeting

The annual meeting of the North Chelmsford Cricket and Athletic club was held Saturday afternoon in the town hall in North Chelmsford. There was a large attendance of members and President William Ballinger occupied the chair. The reports of the various officers were read and they showed that the club is in a flourishing condition.

The doings of the organization during the past year and plans for the ensuing year were discussed by the members and resolutions were adopted. The year 1912 will be the brightest and most successful in the history of the club.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Arthur Hillier; vice president, William Ballinger; secretary, Samuel Kershaw; treasurer, George Leeman; executive board, Fred Ballinger, John Cookson, Frank Hollingsworth, Frank McComb, Ralph Arlidge and Walter Metcalfe.

The prizes for the best batting and bowling averages for the past season were awarded to the following: batting, first prize, to John Cookson, who obtained the creditable average of 17.5; second, Herbert Hadley; bowling, to Walter Metcalfe and Joseph Hoste, who tied for first position.

At six o'clock a chicken pie supper was served after which an entertainment program was carried out.

THE LADY COP ARRIVES

Eve of An Era of Women Police Officers

Continuing our discussion about modern occupations for women, I want to tell you something about the very latest thing: If you desire to be ultra-smart in your choice of occupation, become a lady policeman. Only a select few have as yet entered the profession, but women are well adapted to its duties and there are wonderful inducements and opportunities offered to those who take up the work. It's dignified, too, very dignified; also it's a responsible position, and if there are any two things a woman most craves, they are dignity and responsibility.

Women have always adored uniforms, so why shouldn't they be tickled to wear them themselves? Navy blue is vastly becoming to all women, blondes or brunettes, and with the addition of gold buttons and quantities of gold braid, the uniforms ought to look beautiful on the new members of the force. For the women, the winter uniforms ought to be trimmed with fur, bands of fur around the bottom of the skirt and on the collar and cuffs. Fur epaulettes and a fur toque would complete a dainty costume. In summer the uniform could be made of dark blue linen, with large pearl buttons down the front, and a black sailor hat could be worn with this outfit. "Kippy" is the word for the lady cops when they appear in this dainty regalia.

Policewomen would hardly ever be called upon to use weapons, but as an insignia of their rank, and also to give desperate criminals the impression that they are able to use the weapons if necessary, the ladies ought to wear dainty rosewood billies, suspended by gold chains from the wrist. Then a .38-caliber revolver should be worn on a watch chain around the neck and tucked in the belt, ready for use should occasion arise. We fervently hope and pray that the ladies will never have to resort to the use of these dangerous weapons, because even a silver-mounted revolver can be deadly in the hands of an excited female, who can't shoot straight when she's sober.

And when she's not sober, even less straight when she's flustered. When a dog goes mad in the summer the cop-esses should be excused from shooting the animal, not only to spare their tender feelings, but also for the sake of the passers-by; this disagreeable duty should be passed over to a mere man.

Where a man cop has to intimidate and subdue by force, a lady cop can accomplish the same thing in a quicker time by her authoritative personality and her few well-chosen and appropriate remarks on the subject. In the case of very bad law-breakers, who will not be readily persuaded to go along with the lady, the latter may be allowed to pull the culprit's hair or shake him. These two methods of punishment, administered together with a steady line of talk, are guaranteed to reduce the most hardened and obstinate criminal to a docile, harmless creature, who will let himself be hustled into the patrol wagon without a murmur. But the lady cops won't be required to use such harsh measures often, unless it be on offenders who are men, the lady will only have to announce that they are under arrest and they will trot along with her willingly.

The duties of the policewoman will be quite easy. There will be four shifts every twenty-four hours, instead of two, and there will be two cops to one beat, so that the ladies won't get too much to talk on the job. Later, when women have got control of the police department, there will be electric runabouts, for the use of the women night cops, as it isn't considered good form for a woman to be seen alone on the streets in the wee small hours. After a few years in power, the women will have become so efficient as reformers, that there will be no need of night cops.

There will be no bribery nor graft in the police department when the women are the bosses—no scandal, no favoritism, no gossip. You may give a police officer some bribe money, and she'll promise to do what you say, but she's bound to change her mind, or else forget about the matter, and if you should delicately suggest that you wanted your bribe money back in such a case, you'd be arrested for perjury or treason. The only disservice, the only rifts in the blue of the police force will be a slight amount of jealousy among the women, but this is only to be expected until the millennium arrives.

Women are going to replace men, not only as ordinary cops, but as higher officials, and even as judges and lawyers, too. In 1915, we'll see a court with a woman on the bench, a woman district attorney, a woman clerk of court and a woman jury. This is no pipe dream—if you don't believe me, just ask the suffragettes who are now hugging it along the Hudson. We can foresee that it will be hard for a woman jury to come to an agreement, for when a woman makes up her mind, it's pretty hard to induce her to change it, even if she's the only dissenting member of the jury. However, the argument that it is time to get supper, will usually bring her over, unless she's actuated by spiteful motives, and wants to keep a fellow jurymen away from the theatre that night.

Oh, but it'll be a great old world when the department of justice is feminine.

A Petticoat Fad

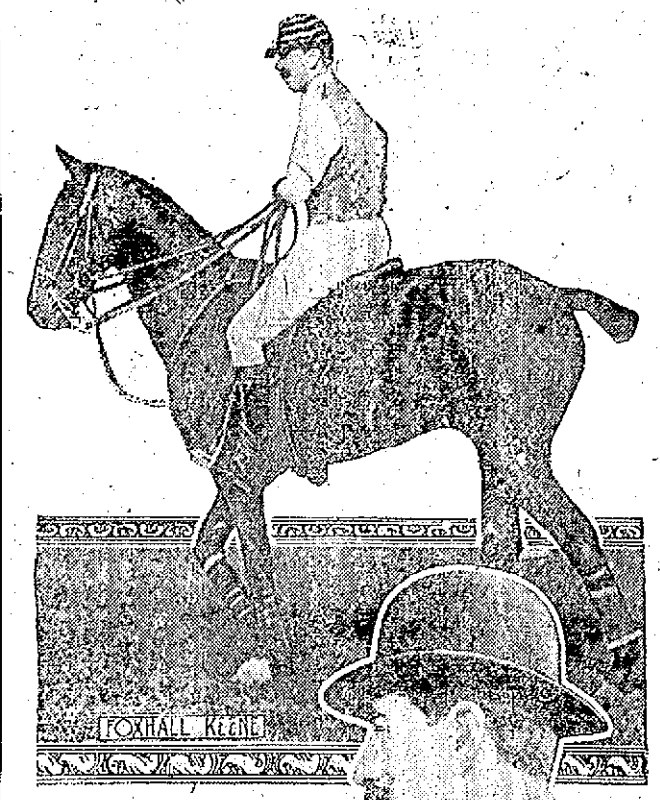
Half the girls who meet these days are making themselves petticoats of the white satin. They wash well and are transparent, so that one skirt and he worn with thin frocks, and have the sheen of silk.

Get a good quality, mercerized preferably, and cut in one of the new petticoat patterns of straight lines. Finish the bottom with a deep hem, five or seven inches, and finish the edge with scalloped trimming about half an inch wide. This can be sewed on by the machine and gives a smart look to the skirt at little cost or trouble. The trimming usually costs but 2 or 4 cents a yard and may be sewed on by the machine.

Similar skirts are made in black satin to wear under dark gowns, and women have two or three of each kind instead of the usual cambric petticoat or one of unserviceable silk.

If you are making your own blouses this season, you had better choose the very best, washable satins and the unshrinkable flannels offer endless variety. Wash satin in white with a stripe of brilliant red or green would make up into an attractive waist for those who like their clothes to have a bit of dash.

Foxhall Keene, Polo Player, Will Probably Inherit Father's Wealth



NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The death of James H. Keene, following an illness that has caused his retirement for years, has set the wise ones guessing as to the amount of his fortune and the disposition he made of it. Some estimates place his wealth at \$20,000,000, while others say it will not be more than \$3,000,000. There are few facts on which to base a guess. Mr. Keene was never communicative about his personal affairs, and most of his wealth was invested in stocks and bonds as to which there is no public record. Mr. Keene had two children, a son and a daughter. The daughter was married to Talbot J. Taylor, whom she divorced some years ago. The son, Foxhall Keene, was with his father when he died, and it is believed that he will inherit the bulk of the estate. The son is an athlete and is noted as

a polo player. He has never made much of a mark as a business man, but was interested in the turf until racing was made unlawful in New York.

For Keeping Floors Bright

Polishing floors is hard work, and calls for as much of "elbow grease" as for a hardwood, or stained wood floor, take eight ounces of yellow beeswax, one quart of Venetian turpentine, cut the wax into small pieces and pour the turpentine over it, and let stand in a vessel of warm water until dissolved, which it will readily do; then bottle. Apply a very little at a time with a flannel cloth, rubbing until there is none left on the surface. Proceed until the whole floor is finished. It keeps the floor in excellent order, and the polish is required ordinarily about once in six months.

Soapsuds should never be used on a hardwood floor that is oiled or waxed. All that is needed is to wipe with a cloth dampened in a little warm water, say, a wash-basin full, to which about two tablespoonfuls of coal oil has been added. One teaspoonful to the basin will be enough for anything unless very dirty. The water should be well stirred into the oil, and the floor polished afterwards with a clean flannel cloth. This is good for all.

After scouring a floor preparatory to oiling or waxing, it should get perfectly dry before applying the polish. A weighted brush, or a warm woolen cloth should be used to rub in. If all wax or oil is not rubbed in, the floor will be gummy and sticky, and gather a coating of lint hard to remove.

A brush and dust pan should be kept at hand for getting up the little patches of dirt, such as that made when kindling the fire, or about the sewing machine, and the very little children will soon take pride in using them, to the no small help of the mother's housewife. Give the kiddies the happy duty of "helping mamma," you don't know how helpful they can be, even under three years old. And it is good for them, too.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Y. M. C. A. COMMITTEE Of 300 to Hold Reunion and Banquet

The committee of 300 which was instrumental in raising the funds for the magnificent new Y. M. C. A. building will hold a reunion banquet at the building in Merrimack street Thursday night. This will take the form of a private opening of the building and the only persons to be present will be the members of the different teams who worked so hard during the campaign to raise the necessary funds to erect the building.

The association is desirous of having as many of the committee of 300 as possible present, and the secretary has sent invitations to every member.

The banquet starts at 6.30, dress will be informal and there will be ample opportunity to inspect the building. The formal opening and public reception will be announced later, and it seems fairly certain now that Gov. Foss will be present.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

Rev. Dr. Schofield Presented Handsome Gift on Anniversary of His Ordination

Rev. Edmund T. Schofield, pastor of St. John's church in North Chelmsford, was presented a handsome album by the members of the ladies' society of the church at the conclusion of the Sunday school session yesterday afternoon in honor of his recent celebration of the 31st anniversary of his ordination. The presentation was made by Miss Belle Valentine.

Rev. Dr. Schofield was the celebrant at both masses yesterday, preaching on "Practical Catholicity" at the high mass.

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Women's Drawers, of good cambric, with cluster of tucks and ruffle of eyelid embroidery, regular price 50c Sale Price 39c

Women's Drawers, of cambric or nainsook, circular and straight with deep ruffle of Swiss embroidery, regular price 75c Sale Price 50c

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THESE WINTER DAYS These winter days the poets say: "The sleighing girl is very dear; When fields are white and leaves are scar; Yes, 'dear,' indeed, it makes us eour To jony up five plunks an hour For hire of a one-horse sleigh."

Find a lively man. ANSWER TO SATURDAY'S PUZZLE. Left side down, right side up.

THE ❁ SUN ❁ CLASSIFIED ❁ ADVERTISEMENTS

WANTED

WANTED TO HIRE A COTTAGE
six rooms with acre of land; must
be of lowell. Address N13, Sun
Office.

GENTLEMAN - WISHES FLUENT
speaking room, with electric light and one
telephone, and board. Address
Sun Office.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
JAMES P. MILLER, JR., Probate Court
Clerk.
To all persons interested in the
estate of Severin George, late of Low-
ell, in said County, deceased: The ad-
ministrator of the estate of said de-
ceased, has presented for allowance,
a first account of his administration of
said estate of said deceased.
You are hereby notified to have your
objections, if any, to the account, at a
Probate Court, to be held at Cam-
bridge, in said County, on the eighth
day of January, A. D. 1915, at nine
o'clock in the forenoon, to file and
show any you have, why the same should
not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to
publish this notice by delivering copies
thereof to all persons interested in the
estate fourteen days at least before
said Court, or by publishing the same
in a newspaper, for three succes-
sive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a news-
paper published in Lowell, the last
publication to be one day at least be-
fore said Court, and to file with him
a copy of this citation to all
known persons interested in the estate
seven days at least before said Court,
to wit, that Judge of said Court, this
15th day of December, 1914.

fourteenth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. H. ROGERS, Register.


COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Maria Adams, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said

cessed to Edward W. Badmington, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the nineteenth day of January, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause why you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published

Lowell, the last publication to be
 one day, at least, before said Court.
 Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Es-
 quire, First Judge of said Court, this
 first day of January, in the year one
 thousand nine hundred and thirteen.
 F. M. ESTY, Asst. Register.



PROPOSALS

HEALTH DEPT. WAGON SHEDS

Sealed proposals will be received from local contractors only at the office of the Building Department on Thursday, January 19, 1933, until 11:30 a. m. for

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check payable to the City Treasurer and returned by the contractor should he refuse to sign the City of Lowell, in accordance with the plans and specifications furnished by the Working Department.

contract at any time within three days after being notified that contract is ready for signature. The amount of the check must be 10 per cent of the

The contractor must be prepared to give bond to the amount of 25 per cent of the contract price, conditioned on the satisfactory execution of the contract, as required by plans and specifications.

Drawings and specifications may be seen at the office of the Building Department at City Hall.

The Commissioner of Public Property and licenses reserves the right to

ject any and all proposals.
Per Order,
LAWRENCE CUMMINGS,
Commissioner.
Francis A. Connor, Inspector of Build-
ings.

musical instruments and can guaran-
tee much positive fun. The bill close
with the singing and dancing team of
Connery & Legault. The box office
phone number is 23.

A SUCCESSFUL GAME
Literary Dominoes Are
Played by Many

To play literary dominos prepare a list of books with the final letter of one making the initial letter of another, as, for instance, "Lunar Doomed," "Endymion," "Never Too Late to Mend," "Dr. Sevier," and so on. Of fashioned standard novels are mentioned, but, of course, all kinds of novels are admissible.

Make the list as long as you like and copy each title on a card with the name of the author below it and the right and left corners respectively by the first and last letters of the name of the book. In arranging the tables choose several that begin and end with the same letter, such as "Scottish Chiefs," "Guy Mannering" and "David Copperfield."

These you consider as doubles, from which to start.

Shuffle the cards and deal six cards each player, leaving the rest in the middle of the table.

The game opens with a double, and the next player matches a card with the one beginning with the last letter of a double. If he cannot play he draws the cards that are upon the table. The first one out wins the game and scores one point for each unused double.

The game may be varied if the players guess at the author's name as the title is read out. The first one who guesses right scores a point.

It is good fun to have the game played progressively, and there may be any number of titles beginning with the same letter.

If you want help at home or in your

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

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LOCAL NEWS

Commercial primary, Tobin's.

Sunlight Shoe Repairing. All kinds while you wait. James Coughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whitcomb of 317 Moody street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son born Dec. 21st.

The many friends of Mrs. Daniel P. Tully of Inland street will be pleased to learn that she is rapidly recovering from a serious illness.

The Lowell General Hospital Aid association will hold its annual meeting in the Highland Congregational church vestry tomorrow afternoon.

We are still refining muffs with good quality satin for 50c. and repairing and redyeing all kinds of partly worn furs at equally low prices. Fur Dept., main floor, Colonial store. Telephone.

Mr. Frederick Lawton, formerly a resident of Fletcher street, has accepted a lucrative position in one of the large automobile factories in Detroit. He began his duties New Year's.

Mr. Lawton is a popular member of the Eagles, and his many friends will be glad to hear of his advancement.

Mr. A. B. Tuttle of Agawam street sent to The Sun a very artistic drawing of an old shoe, and with it this reminder: "A New Year's resolution is like an old shoe wearing out. It does not last long, and it is better to have a new one than to have an old one."

A banquet was given in honor of Willis R. Goodwin, at the Pekin Co. restaurant in Central street Friday night, by his former employers of the Field-Lambert Shoe Co. Frederick Lambert, in behalf of the firm, presented Mr. Goodwin a Knight of the Order of the Star of the North.

Mr. Goodwin has accepted a position with the Stover & Bean Shoe Co. of this city.

Groves at Associate hall.

Soccer Football.

Because of the poor condition of the field, the soccer game scheduled to be played between the Rutland and Methuen on last Saturday was postponed, and will be played later.

The contest between the light blues and Olympics was also postponed.

Andrew by defeating the class Saturday still holds the leadership in the league by a margin of one point.

Like a perennial winner. To date the standing of the teams is as follows:

Team	Wins	Losses
Andrew	11	3
Glens	10	4
United	9	5
Blues	8	6
Olympics	7	7
Lawrence	6	8
Medford	5	9
Rutland	4	10
S. Lawrence	3	11

Dear Babe Rogers.

ANNUAL BANQUET

Delightful Event to be Held in Aid of St. John's Hospital on Next Saturday—Ten and Muskele

The annual banquet of St. John's Hospital is to be held on next Saturday afternoon and elaborate preparations are being made for the success of the event. The reception committee is composed of the following: Mrs. P. Gilbride, Mrs. John J. Hogan, Mrs. P. P. Devine, Miss M. Alice Cox, Mrs. Louis Grunwald, Mrs. John M. Murphy, Mrs. Elias Grunwald, Mrs. T. H. Lawler, Mrs. P. Sullivan, Mrs. Margaret McClellan and Mrs. Anna Loughlin.

Ten will be served from 3 to 5 o'clock and this will be in charge of Mrs. Edward Kerwin and Mrs. William P. Barry, assisted by Mrs. C. E. Collins, Mrs. James Gough, Mrs. Edward Gough, Mrs. William P. Lawler, Mrs. Charles Keyes, Mrs. Charles M. Williams, Mrs. J. B. Donnelly, Mrs. Peter Condon, Mrs. George M. Harrigan, Mrs. Richard Donohue, Mrs. John M. Murphy, Mrs. Frank R. Brady and Mrs. Louis Grunwald.

A special entertainment has been arranged by Mrs. Frederick Leach, and includes many pleasing numbers.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

ASSOCIATE BUILDING

BUSINESS DIRECTORY SECOND FLOOR

WILLIAM B. REEDY

DR. A. H. PROVENCHER, Dentist

DR. J. V. PERRY, Dentist

DR. JOHN J. WALSH, Dentist

DR. FRANK A. OSTLIVAN, Physician and Surgeon

DR. STEPHEN J. JAMESON, Physician and Surgeon

MRS. JANE VAN DE CHUYSEN, Clerk and Dressmaker

DR. JOHN C. TAYLOR, Physician and Surgeon

DR. A. M. THOMAS, Physician

Two offices to rent, this four.

INAUGURAL DAY AT CITY HALL

Continued

posed, planned, constructed and completed within a six-month. Along with the promptness with which business has been conducted under the new system, there has been a co-operation among the different departments which while its effect has not been apparent to the outside world has materially assisted the work of the departments and has reduced their respective expenses in a considerable degree.

City's Finances

At the beginning of the year, on account of the financial condition of the city, great care was exercised in the making of the annual appropriations, and it was necessary to cut deeply some of the estimates made by the commissioners. During the year, however, several emergencies have arisen in some of the departments for which no provision had been made at the beginning of the year when the appropriations were apportioned. A section of the charter makes it an offense, punishable by fine or imprisonment, to over-run an appropriation, and hence much of the emergency expenditures must of necessity show an increased expenditure each year regardless of how prudently their affairs may be administered.

With the experience of one year to guide us, and a change in the designation of the head of the street department, greater results may be expected in the year 1913.

I have several recommendations to make relative to improvements which may come in 1913, as have some of the other commissioners and these will appear in connection with the resume of the work of the several departments which I am about to take up.

Again, I will state that this is but a general review of the year and does not go into statistics which will be found in the department reports.

The Police Department

The mayor, a commissioner of public safety is head of the police department, and after the experience of one year, he can say with honest pride, that for discipline, harmony and good results it ranks with any department of a similar nature in New England.

The divorce of the police-department of the city is a real good thing. Although, while one of the poorest paid police departments in the state, its members were last year denied an increase of pay on account of circumstances over which the mayor had no control at that time, they accepted the set-back in a philosophical and unselfish manner, and when the matter was brought before the city council, they were met with a most threatening situation in a manner that excited the admiration of all New England. It is my purpose to increase the pay of the police, to cents per day, placing them on a \$2 basis in common with the majority of the cities of the commonwealth.

I believe that an increase of pay should be extended to the superior officers, including the superintendent, and shall ask the municipal council for an appropriation sufficient to include an increase for all superior officers in common with the appointment of at least five new patrolmen, and with the numbers thus increased I would have the South common patrolled by at least two officers and start the nucleus of a traffic squad with three officers.

Health Department

In the health department, since the first of April, births have been reported at this office by the city clerk, and the board of health has formulated a circular which is sent out, daily, to the parents of new born children, instructing them as to the care and the feeding of infants.

An appropriation was granted for the erection of a new stable for the horses belonging to the health department, which is nearly completed.

An appropriation was obtained for a comfort station which is in process of construction.

A temporary hospital for the care of contagious diseases was provided, which has furnished the board of health facilities for caring for these cases, a convenience, the department has needed for many years, as, without a hospital, it has had to depend on the Lowell hospital which has been available for only a very limited number of cases; besides which, the board has to maintain a large number of cases at their homes, necessitating the providing of medical services, medicine, food, and other necessities.

A depot for anti-toxin was opened at the police station, thus enabling physicians to secure anti-toxin at night and on holidays when the office is closed.

In estimating the appropriation, necessary for the health department, the department for the year, the head of the department has been helped, helped by an obvious fact, the budget, as to what the future is to bring about. Outside of salaries and labor there can be no fixed charges considered in this department. As an example, we have the present scarlet fever and the cost of which could not be estimated in advance.

Ambulance Service

The ambulance service has been efficiently conducted at a reasonable expense to the city. To increase its efficiency, I would recommend the purchase of an automobile ambulance, which would be of inestimable benefit in accident and emergency cases, as well as in cases of long runs.

Charity Department

The charity department is another important department in which it is absolutely impossible to estimate the probable expenditures in advance. Prudence without parsimony has been the rule in the administration of the affairs of this department. In the care of the poor, the city has been most judicious in its expenditures, and the practice of strict economy, yet extravagance is not necessary. In the outdoor relief department no worthy case was refused nor were curtailments of any kind made. At the Chelmsford street hospital, which now is a hospital, in fact, practically the entire appropriation was used for the maintenance of the inmates of whom the average was 423, the number admitted during the year being 440. There were 12 births at the institution and 104 deaths. Of the latter, a large majority were in practically a dying condition when admitted. The farm, agriculturally, had a fairly prosperous year, the products being used by the institu-



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tion. In regard to this feature of the institution, one of its needs is an engine blower and cutter, which will entail an expenditure of about \$500, but which will pay for itself within a year. For improvements at the farm, I would recommend the installation of electric light in the rooms of the women's hospital and a new and modern equipped operating room which may be installed during the coming year. The institution is in need of more attendants, as the inmate help is of comparatively little value. The institution has an asset that might be turned into money, a lot of land, located on Chelmsford street opposite Crescent, which is of no value as a farm land, but which would bring a respectable price for building purposes if placed on the market.

Other Sub-Departments

The city's insurance has been placed in charge of the commissioner of public safety during the year. In addition to renewing all expiring policies, insurance was placed on the police station building and its equipment for the first time in the history of the department. The equipment of the industrial school and the new health department stable have also been insured, while additional insurance has been placed on city hall.

While the matter of claims against the city was voted to the personal charge of the commissioner of public safety, on account of the fact that most of the claims were against the department, the commissioner of public safety has called the entire municipal council to his assistance in the consideration of them.

The funds of the state aid department have been directed to the department so that not only the necessities, but often the comforts of life are given the more needy ones who are entitled to its benefits.

Water Department

The public is still discussing the elaborate New Year's gift of the water department to the water takers and to its laboring force, which was announced in the daily press a few days ago, namely, the reduction of water rates and the increase of wages, but the public is not yet fully apprised of the charge of that department the most important feature of the work of the year is the solution of the long discussed problem of improving the water service in the Highland district, the work on which is now under way.

The laying of a large supply main from the West Sixth street pumping station down along West Sixth street, across the river at Allen street to connect with the 20-inch main that now goes through Cabot and Adams streets, so that the city may have two connections across the river where it now has but one is another improvement which the coming year in all probability will see installed.

During the past year the water department has taken over the care and maintenance of water and has reduced the selling price to the water-takers. The department has also cut down the cost of house owners to service pipes 33 1/3 per cent, and, as was remarked before, it has also announced a reduction in water rates and an increase in wages.

Fire Department

Perhaps the most striking feature of the conduct of the affairs of the fire department during the past year is the fact that the commissioner has supplied the city with \$15,000 worth of automobile fire apparatus without borrowing a dollar for their purchase. These machines were paid for upon their acceptance by the department in contrast to the machine now operated by the chief of the department which was purchased on a 10-year loan, and will not be paid for in full until 1921, years after the machine itself will have

outlived its usefulness, while 10 years interest will have been added to the principal cost. It is the intention of the municipal council to increase the number of auto fire trucks, for by their use the efficiency of the department is greatly increased.

The municipal council will be asked to abolish the Warren street fire house and install the protective company in the Palmer street house, where it will be centrally located, and where there is sufficient space for its reception. Thus the city may dispose of the Warren street house for use for other purposes, while the department will save the cost of its maintenance.

The fire commissioner is firmly of the opinion that there should be a reduction of insurance rates in Lowell and that the underwriters contribute to the maintenance of the protective department as is done in other cities.

The building department has been very active during the past year, for in addition to the regular repair work necessary to keep the buildings up to the standard, much in the form of work equally let out by contract has been done by this department's mechanics.

In this line might be mentioned the extensive alterations that have been made at the ride range, where three large barricades and an addition to the target pit have been built; the office building at the Edison cemetery, has been moved, enlarged and generally renovated; an addition has been built to the Lincoln street fire house and the second floor of this building has been divided into separate sleeping rooms; with the exception of the addition a similar change has been made in the Fourth street fire house. Excellent temporary quarters have been provided at the city hospital for the cattle, the barn having been destroyed by fire during the summer. Several school buildings have undergone extensive repairs, in many places long looked for improvements have been made.

A large brick stable for the health department has been erected under the direction of this department, while the comfort station, a long looked for convenience, has been started and will be completed in the early spring.

Besides this work the department has given much attention to building inspection both regarding the construction of new buildings and the removal of dilapidated and dangerous buildings. Many dangerous buildings have been condemned and torn down during the past year.

Cemetery Department

The commissioner in charge of public cemeteries offers the important recommendation that the revenues of that department be given back for use by the department instead of going into the general treasury fund. More money due this department was collected this year than ever before in the history of the city. By a new system inaugurated by the present commissioner the receipts of the department will be even greater next year.

The Edison cemetery office building was moved to the main entrance, for the convenience of the department and patrons, and enlarged. A brick vault for records was built and other needed improvements made, at an expense of eleven hundred dollars, paid out of appropriations.

The office building, the iron work in the gateway and fence, the interior and outside trimmings of the chapel were repainted.

Considerable work has been done to beautify the front of the cemetery. Improvements have been made in the upper section.

Other Departments

The work of the park department, finance and auditing were briefly reviewed. Speaking of the assessors' department, the work of the department in valuation for the year was \$3,132,350.75. The work of the city clerk's department was commended and in this connection was emphasized the duty imposed upon physicians of reporting births promptly, as the clerk reports daily to the board of health.

Conclusion

It will be noticed from the foregoing that notwithstanding the handicap under which the present government entered upon its duties much has been accomplished both along the lines of progress and in the matter of retrenchment. Some of the departments have not been mentioned, but for these I may state that they have been con-

ducted in a manner satisfactory to the commissioners in charge.

Engineer's Department

The engineer's department has seen a busy year and among the works upon which it was employed was the completion of the abolition of the School street grade crossing; the completion of the new high service reservoir; the replacing of the old wooden bridge over the canal in Market street, with a reinforced concrete bridge, and the widening of the street at this point. Some work was done on the extension of the sewer outlets on the Lakeview avenue side of the river. This work should be continued so that every outlet should be submerged at all times in keeping with the recent advice of the state board of health.

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Cemetery Department

The commissioner in charge of public cemeteries offers the important recommendation that the revenues of that department be given back for use by the department instead of going into the general treasury fund. More money due this department was collected this year than ever before in the history of the city. By a new system inaugurated by the present commissioner the receipts of the department will be even greater next year.

The Edison cemetery office building was moved to the main entrance, for the convenience of the department and patrons, and enlarged. A brick vault for records was built and other needed improvements made, at an expense of eleven hundred dollars, paid out of appropriations.

The office building, the iron work in the gateway and fence, the interior and outside trimmings of the chapel were repainted.

Other Departments

The work of the park department, finance and auditing were briefly reviewed. Speaking of the assessors' department, the work of the department in valuation for the year was \$3,132,350.75. The work of the city clerk's department was commended and in this connection was emphasized the duty imposed upon physicians of reporting births promptly, as the clerk reports daily to the board of health.

Conclusion

It will be noticed from the foregoing that notwithstanding the handicap under which the present government entered upon its duties much has been accomplished both along the lines of progress and in the matter of retrenchment. Some of the departments have not been mentioned, but for these I may state that they have been con-

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CLIMBERS TO GET RAISE IN PAY

Employees of the Moth Dept. Will Receive Increase of 25 Cents a Day

The tree climbers of the moth department called at the office of the lands and buildings department this forenoon and presented their demand for an increase of 25 cents a day, which would make their pay \$2.50 per day.

Commissioner Cummings told the writer this morning that the tree climbers of the moth department received formerly \$2.25 per day for their labor, but that Thanksgiving at the time that the superintendent of the department was ill, they made a demand of 25 cents additional per day, and the request was granted for the remainder of the year. Now, according to the agreement they have gone back to the old schedule, but they desire the increase permanently.

Mr. Cummings interviewed the other members of the municipal council this afternoon and all agreed to grant them the increase.

New Automobile

The new automobile recently purchased for the lands and buildings department arrived this morning, and already Sup. Adams has started taking lessons in running it.

Bids for Wagon Shed

The lands and buildings department is calling for bids for the erection of a wagon shed for the board of health. The building will be open and will be constructed with brick and wood. It will be 200 feet long and 30-1-2 feet wide, and about 12 feet high. The bids will be open on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

Permits Granted

Joseph F. Cote today received a permit for the erection of a two-family dwelling house in Middlesex park. The tenements will contain five rooms each and the building will be 24x15 feet. Its estimated cost is \$2000.

Alice Allister took out a permit for a cottage to be erected at a Wedge street. The house will be 35x25 feet and will cost \$2000.

Scarlet Fever Cases

The schools opened this morning and already four cases of scarlet fever among school children were reported to the board of health's office. Five others have also been reported.

Cupid's Dots

The following marriage intentions were filed at the city clerk's office since the last were printed: Leon Cecil Ford, 36 Branch, 28, baggage master; and Miss Mabel F. Dawkins, 1214 Lafayette street, Fort Wayne, Ind., writes: "For three years I was troubled with catarrh and blood disease. I tried several doctors and used different remedies, but none of them did me any good. A friend told me of Hood's Sarsaparilla. I took two bottles of this medicine and was as well and strong as ever. I feel like a different person and recommend Hood's to any one suffering from catarrh."

Years of Suffering

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Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called Sarsapars. Bertha Eunice Wilson, 434 Chelmsford, 26, at home.

Louis A. Pierce, 317 Westford, 42, clerk; Ellen G. Moore, 382 Walker, 42, at home.

Joseph A. Decker, 85 Ludlum, 21, brakeman; Jennie Wisted, 14 Bridge, 17, operative.

Romeo Grenier, 2 Bowers, 23, mill operative; Marie L. Lessard, 9 Montcalm avenue, 20, mill operative.

Thomas Blackburn, Berlin, N. H., 25, paper maker; Marie Fraser, 150 Mt. Vernon, 22, housework.

Thomas F. Cole, 176 Pleasant, 25, coremaker; Clara McElwain, 11 Apple, 18, at home.

John Martier, (widowed), 34 Gorham, 52, engineer; Martha M. K. Smith, 24 Gorham, 25, housekeeper.

Satirios Denopulog, 76 Elm, 26, operative; Marina Bacon, 94 Concord, 25, operative.

Setrag Parechianian, Fitchburg, 25, machinist; Menzar Kachadourian, 73 Appleton, 12, carpet weaver.

William Bastien, 15 Ashland, 24, boxmaker; Sophronie McGuinn, (widowed), 35 Howard, 20, plush mill.

Raphael Jones, 251 Grand, 26, laborer; Annie M. Warren, 318 Central, 25, operative.

Doris April, 155 Salem, 57, shoemaker; Marie L. Poltras, 155 Salem, 29, atticher.

Michael J. Cutter, 193 Appleton, 34, shoemaker; Agatha E. Healy, 193 Appleton, 34, dressmaker.

Albert Blanchette, 794 Merrimack, 22, mill operative; Marie Josephine Archambault, 5 Hancock avenue, 20, housework.

James C. Clark, 12 Cottage, 20, dyer; Ena Davis, 41 Apple, 31, hostess.

Adolphe Tolereult, (widowed), 434 Broadway, 46, shoemaker; Georgiana Daril, 64 Franklin, 40, hostess.

Joseph Doyon, 67 Salem, 13, carpenter; Della V. Conley, 197 School, 18, warper.

Louis Cayer (widowed), 16 Endicott, 42, bricklayer; Marie Amanda Carrier, 2, Dracut, 41, mill operative.

Napoleon G. Lavale, 173 A. 20, milk dealer; Anna Rose Dubuque, 119 B, 19, at home.

Edward W. Smith, 145 Lincoln, 27, teamster; Loretta McCormack, 6 Dane, 12, waitress.

Walter J. Mullin, 152 Appleton, 25, baker; Annie Keene, 61 Bartoli, 24, weaver.

Harry B. Pope, 12 Maple, 32, machinist; Blanche B. Hayes, Montreal, 12, laundry.

Alexander J. Smith (widowed), 57 South Highland, 45, machinist; Sadie Bartlett, (widowed) 67 South Highland, 47, housekeeper.

Fred Sedlow (widowed), Springfield, 42, barber; Dora L. E. Teller, 12 Robert place, 21, at home.

Edmund C. Mercier, 15 Dutton, 25, weaver; Albertine Ducharme, 255 Cheever, 21, weaver.

Joseph Meach, 4 Winter, 23, shoemaker; Vasteg Garabed, 11 Winter, 25, laundry.

Victor C. Jile, 41 Amos avenue, 24, shipper; Catherine E. Tuily, 4 Franklin, 21, hostess.

Brother Mahmet, 68 Suffolk, 22, mill operative; Alice, 21, at home.

William J. Kennesson, 35 Suffolk, 19, mill operative.

Apostolles N. Lufaginas, 358 Suffolk, 22, mill operative; Stanata A. Balajou, Boston, 22, clerk.

Leon G. A. Herbert, 527 Moody street, 24, shoe shop; Marie Anne Victoria Bouchard, 538 Moody street, 23, hostess.

Jules Mercier, 36 Westford street, 25, machinist; Adèle Beaulé, 303 Atken street, 30, hostess.

Warren H. Rogers, 30 Howard street, 19, Abbott street, 21, at home.

Willie J. Kennesson, 35 Suffolk, 19, mill operative.

Lawrence F. Walsh (widowed), 22 John avenue, machinist; Alicia Carroll, 32 Bridge street, 25, domestic.

Francis W. Foyne, 729 Westford street, 25, salesman; Emma M. Cashshaw, 24 Marlboro street, 20, at home.

Michael Mullen, 29 Charles street, 41, clerk; Mary Keefe, 324 Fletcher street, 35, weaver.

MATRIMONIAL

A pretty marriage was solemnized this morning at St. Joseph's church, when Mr. Frederick Sedlow of Springfield and Miss Elizabeth Teller of this city were married, the ceremony being performed at a nuptial mass celebrated at 7 o'clock by Rev. Joseph M. Blais, O. M. I. The witnesses were Leo Teller and Miss Annie O'Brien, who served as best man and bridesmaid respectively. At the close of the ceremony the party repaired to the home of the bride's parents, 12 Robert place, where a sumptuous dinner was served. The happy couple left at noon for Springfield, where they will make their home.

MERCIER-BEAULE

The marriage of Mr. Jules Mercier and Miss Adèle Beaulé was solemnized this morning at a nuptial mass celebrated at 7 o'clock at the rectory, officiating clergyman being Rev. Guillelme Ouellette, O. M. I. The couple was attended by Messrs. Octave D. Mercier and Alphonse Beaulé. A dinner and reception were held at the home of the bridegroom's parents, 36 Westford street.

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INAUGURATION DAY

REVIEW OF MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENTS

BY MAYOR O'DONNELL



HON. JAMES E. O'DONNELL Mayor



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JAMES E. DONNELLY Commissioner

He Intends to Increase the Pay of Police Officers—Commissioner Brown's Remarks

This was inaugural day at city hall and at 10 o'clock this morning the members of the municipal council assembled for their first meeting of the new year. On account of the absence of Commissioners Andrew E. Barrett and James E. Donnelly, the meeting was adjourned to 2:15 o'clock this afternoon. However, Commissioner George H. Brown was sworn into office by Clerk Stephen Flynn and Mayor James E. O'Donnell delivered his inaugural address. Commissioner Brown also made brief remarks.



ANDREW E. BARRETT Commissioner

us in the gallery. Contrary to the usual custom there was no ceremony present, and the oath was administered by the city clerk.

Among those present at the exercises were: Ex-Councilman John A. McKenzie, T. Kilpatrick, James P. Kennedy, John Brady, also Messrs. Frank E. Murphy, Albert J. Blazon, Jeremiah O'Sullivan, Albert J. Ryan, Charles H. Hanson, S. P. Herbert, Jas. Keeney, Bernard F. Gately, George M. Eastman, James Gregg, Bernard Fitzpatrick, James Gilligan, J. J. Mulaney, Stephen Kearney, Amos J. Best, ex-Councilman Ovilla Knox, J. Joseph Hennessy, J. C. Mancuso, Dr. T. P. Carroll, Representative Victor F. Jewett and Mrs. Annie Mulhally.

The janitorial force at city hall worked all day yesterday preparing the big municipal building for the Commencement provided them with a dinner which was served in the old council

chamber. Commissioner Brown, who was in the building during the day, was the only guest.

The Meeting

The meeting this forenoon was called to order at 10 o'clock by Mayor O'Donnell, who at the outset announced that Commissioners Barrett and Donnelly could not be present. He then greeted the members of the council and delivered the following address:

Mayor O'Donnell's Inaugural

Gentlemen of the Municipal Council:

With the introduction of the new system of municipal government, popularly known as the commission form, with its two year terms of office and its continuity of policy, the day of the annual inauguration and its accompanying inaugural address, abounding in bewildering statistics and Utopian recommendations has passed into history, for immediately upon the administering of the oath of office to the newly elected officials, the city's business is taken up, without interruption, where it was left off at the end of the preceding year.

The new charter and the induction into office of the newly elected mayor and commissioners in January, 1912, made radical changes in the conduct of the city's business. The plans adopted provided for a commission, the members of which should devote all their time, or nearly all, to the duties of their respective offices, and as a result most of them have become thoroughly familiar with the operation, need and detail of their respective departments together with acquiring a general knowledge of all the departments.

Defends New Charter

The mail of the mayor's office throughout the year has been filled with inquiries as to the success of the plan under which we are operating. Much time and attention have been given in replying to these inquiries. Standing at my window in the mayor's office I have seen passing by, the business man, the capitalist, men of influence and property, mill managers and operatives, all hurrying on to provide for themselves, their families and futures, and paying no attention to political affairs; not one of them even looking toward the building in which they are entrusted with the common interest of all. Many times during the year in the company of substantial men of affairs have I heard my colleagues and myself adversely criticized for alleged sins of commission and omission, the criticism almost invariably displaying the lack of knowledge of the critic.

I propose, therefore, at this time, to give a brief general history of the city during the first year of its existence under the commission form of government, hoping that our citizens will read it carefully. Our system is an experimental stage; experience with it suggests from time to time certain changes. These will be made more apparent to the people and these connected with the city's affairs by longer and ripper experience. Glancing backward down the pathway of past accomplishments I believe that most of us, at least, are entitled to the approval of the people for having made sincere and intelligent endeavors toward the advancement of our civic interests, and that what we have done in this direction we have done honestly

and to the best of our ability under the circumstances. The city has a right to require of us larger service in the future because of the experience and knowledge of the city's necessities and requirements which have come to us during the year just closed, but, as I remarked one year ago upon assuming office, we have been and are building for the future, and material results can hardly be expected in the comparatively short period of one year.

Legacy of Debt

We entered upon our duties handicapped by a most discouraging legacy of debt. Some of our critics have expected us to remove this accumulation of a generation in one year, an utter



GEORGE H. BROWN Commissioner

impersibility, and in that respect we have not satisfied them. But reasonable men, those who take the trouble to familiarize themselves with city affairs, understand our position, and I believe, are ready to give us credit wherever we have deserved it.

One of the advantages claimed for our new charter was that it would expedite the city's business, and this advantage has been proven time and again since the start. Instead of the old and tedious manner of getting business through the two branches in concurrence with the delay of committee approval in between, the commission has met weekly, and sometimes often, and in many cases the discussion of our hour has decided important improvements which heretofore would take months of deliberation and tarrying. As an illustration, a health department stable that had been a favorite topic of discussion and contention annually for a decade was proposed in this direction we have done honestly

NOT TO REPUDIATE IRON WORKERS

Says Gompers in Stirring Address Before Senate Judiciary Subcommittee Today

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, was the first to appear today before the house committee on the judiciary, which took up hearings on the anti-injunction and contempt bills.

Mr. Gompers and his organization are strongly in favor of the enactment of the legislation under consideration. Ever since the Danbury haters case, in which the haters' union was fined heavily in a federal court for alleged boycotting, Mr. Gompers has urged the passage of laws to rectify what, in his belief, was a legal injustice.

In his address, President Gompers referred with emphasis to the conviction and imprisonment of the 33 members of the ironworkers' organization. He said in part:

Pres. Gompers' Address

"If ever the time shall come," said Mr. Gompers, "when government by dynamite shall be attempted, (and let us hope and work that it never shall come), it will have as its main cause the theory and policy upon which is based government by injunction—personal government foisted upon our people instead of a government by law."

In closing his statement which included an assault upon employers and manufacturers' associations, particularly the United States Steel corporation and the National Builders' Association, Mr. Gompers declared that organized labor would not repudiate the structural iron workers union, "and leave them helpless and at the mercy of organized capital and insatiable, uncurbed greed for profits."

Keenly Feel Indianapolis Trial

"Though all censure those whom men may deem guilty of dynamite conspiracy," the federation leader continued, "none feels the terrible consequences of the Indianapolis trial more keenly than the men of organized labor. There have been added heartache and sorrow to our already heavy burdens. The men accused and sentenced cannot suffer the penalties alone. Upon them and all workmen fall the suffering and penalty."

But what of the conspiracy of organized capital—the conspiracy to murder the liberty of the toilers? From them means of protection by which they have bettered their condition, to leave them bare and defenseless in the competitive struggle? Is not such a conspiracy sufficiently

dastardly to incur some odium? Should the conspirators, with their hands stained with the blood of men's ambition, happiness, liberty, be accorded nothing but honor, power, respectability? Should they be allowed to continue to manipulate the powers of government, the administration of justice until the oppressed find the burden intolerable?

Government by Injunction

"More wise it is to seek social justice while yet we may. The judge who presided at the trial realized one of the issues—government by injunction, lawless, autocratic, irresponsible, exercise of governmental authority, according to privileges, to the strong and denying justice to the weak."

Judge Anderson, who presided over the trial of the iron workers, was referred to particularly by Mr. Gompers, when he declared that "Our whole social organization seems to be on trial."

"Even the judge who tried the case surely assured of personal irresponsibility," Mr. Gompers said, "fatuously declared that 'The evidence in this case will convince any impartial person that government by injunction is infinitely to be preferred to government by dynamite.'"

"The judge had blindly chanced upon one of the issues, but had failed to realize casual relationship. The words to him were, simply a conventional epigram; he does not know that there is a law of life just as immutable as the law of gravitation; of attraction and repulsion, a law of life which meets, repels and justifies by resistance. The inaptness, the unwarrantable character of this utterance of the judge disclosed how far afield outside of the case he went to take another slap at labor."

Fight on Six Years

"For six years the fight went on," he said. "All of the forces of organized society were used against these men. You say that these men resorted to forbidden methods of violence and even sacrificed lives. You condemn their methods of fighting as elemental, brutal. Of any of those who are guilty the condemnation is true, but I ask you were the methods used by the employers less deadly to humanity and freedom? Do you think that one side can play with the forces of injustice and tyranny and not lead to a defensive move on the part of the other? Each will protect his own interests—would anybody else do that for him?"

SHIP STRUCK BY GALE 7000 PICKETS MARCHED

Winslow Wrecked—The Garment Workers Parade in New York

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 6.—Another tale of shipwreck as the result of last Friday's great storm along the Atlantic coast was brought to port today by the British steamer *Syndic*, from Cuba for Philadelphia, which passed in the Delaware Breakwater last night and reported having on board the crew of the bark *Cary Winslow*, abandoned Saturday. The *Syndic* was struck by the gale off Cape Hatteras and after many hours of fighting against the storm the crew decided to abandon her. The *Syndic* was sighted Saturday morning. The wind was still blowing a gale and a nasty sea was running. The *Syndic* stood by from 2 a. m. until 7 p. m. when after three hours of dangerous work Captain Carlson, his wife and crew of ten men were safely taken aboard the steamer. In the transfer all of the *Syndic's* boats but one was lost. The *Winslow*, which came from Philadelphia Dec. 29 for Fernandina, was abandoned northeast of Cape Hatteras.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Seven thousand pickets, including many women, marched in massed formation through the streets today to shops against which more than 100,000 members of the United Garment workers have declared a strike. Exhorted by their leaders to go quietly and without disorder, they filed almost silently to stations in front of shops affected in order to warn off of strike breakers. It was the first time that massed picketing on so large a scale had been introduced in New York.

Arrangements are being made by the International Ladies' Garment Workers for taking a vote some time during the week to decide whether they should join the United Garment Workers in striking for higher wages and better working conditions. One hundred thousand additional workers, the leaders say, would go out in the event of an affirmative vote.

An Revolutionary Decision

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Railroad and express companies today won a revolutionary decision in the supreme court when it was held that contracts limiting to small sums their liability for loss of shipments were not subject to state laws, but to interstate laws.

Davis and Owens Sentenced

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Percy L. Davis and Eben J. Owen were sentenced today to serve not less than one year and not more than 20 months in Sing Sing. They were convicted last week of extorting money from Mrs. Eva B. Carroll.

Nominations by Taft

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—President Taft today renominated Charles Neill to be commissioner of labor. Other nominations sent to the senate today included that of C. M. Hoyt to be postmaster at Haverhill, Mass.

Successor in Jeff Davis

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 6.—Gov. George Donahay, today appointed J. N. Heiskell, editor of the Arkansas Gazette, to this city United States senator to succeed the late Jeff Davis. The appointment is for the short term ending March 4.

Climax of Archbald Trial

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The climax of the impeachment trial of Judge Robert Archbald of the commerce court was reached when the senate court reconvened today prepared to hear the testimony of Judge Archbald himself and of Mrs. Archbald.

Card of Thanks

I take this means of giving expression of the deep feeling of gratitude which I owe to the many kind neighbors and friends who at the time of my recent bereavement offered their sympathy and extended floral tributes which tend to lighten in a certain measure the burden thrust upon me.

(Signed) Joseph Gervais, 537 Fletcher street.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

HE WAS LOCATED

George Trotter, Lowell Boy, Was Apprehended in Manchester, N. H.—Mother Called for Him Yesterday

George Trotter, aged 11 years, son of Mrs. Eugene Vincent of 40 Essex street, whose sudden disappearance was announced in Saturday's issue of The Sun, was located in Manchester, N. H., late Saturday afternoon. The boy said he had left home with the intention of going on a good time, but with no special place in view. The little fellow was apprehended by the Manchester police and held at the station until his mother called for him yesterday.

Don't forget the Groves.

Headache

"How are your bowels?" This is generally the first question the doctor asks. He knows that headaches, bilious attacks, indigestion, impure blood, are often due to a sluggish liver. Ask him if he approves of Ayer's Pills.

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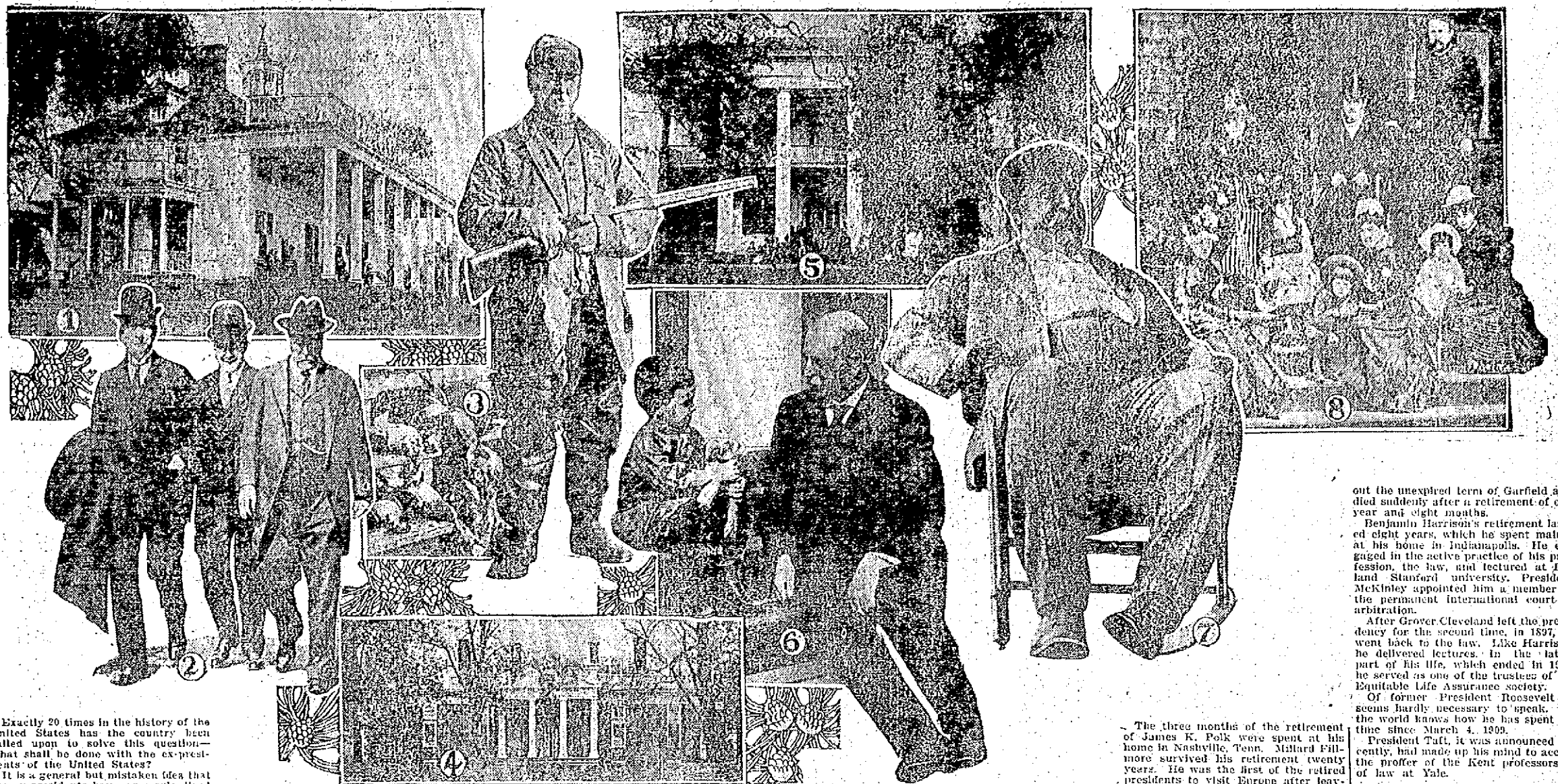
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United States Has Been Called Upon 20 Times to Solve Question of "What Shall Be Done With Its Ex-Presidents?" --- What Some Have Done After Leaving Office



1.—Mount Vernon, home of George Washington (photograph by American Press Association.) 2.—Grover Cleveland at his favorite pastime, duck hunting, and, with his son on the steps of his Princeton home (photographs copyright by Underwood and Underwood.) 3.—Monticello, home of Thomas Jefferson. 4.—The Hermitage, home of Andrew Jackson. 5.—President Taft taking it easy. 6.—Grant with family at Mount McGregor. 7.—President Taft taking it easy. 8.—Grant with family at Mount McGregor.

Exactly 20 times in the history of the United States has the country been called upon to solve this question—what shall be done with the ex-presidents of the United States? It is a general but mistaken idea that the ex-presidents have, as a rule, lived but a few years after leaving office. It is asserted frequently that the strain of guiding the ship of state wears down the helmsman so, to great a degree that he dies soon after relinquishing the wheel. But the facts of history do not bear out this view. The records show that the average ex-president has lived 11 years and nine months after leaving the White House.

The oldest age attained was that of John Adams, who was 91 years old when he died on July 4, 1826. The youngest was that of James K. Polk, who passed away at the comparatively young age of 53 on June 15, 1849. The first Adams survived retirement longer than any other of the 19 presidents who have not died in office. He had been out of the White House for 25 years and four months. Polk, besides being the youngest former president to die, had left the White House only three months before he passed away. His was the shortest retirement.

It is well known, of course, that Washington passed at Mount Vernon, the two years and nine months which intervened between his retirement from office and his death. His retirement was a true example of the "optimum dignitate," the rest with dignity,

of which the Romans wrote. But it was not an idle rest. Numerous affairs of business and the management of his great estate—Washington was one of the richest men of his time—occupied his "leisure."

Left Office in Anger

Washington's successor, John Adams, the first occupant of the White House, retired from it in a fit of anger over his failure to gain re-election and would not even wait to see his successor, Thomas Jefferson, inaugurated. He went to his home in Quincy, Mass., and passed there the remaining twenty-five years of his life in "peaceful and happy seclusion, devoting himself to literary work relating to the history of his times." He served as an elector for Monroe, and in 1820 he took part in the convention held for the purpose of revising the Massachusetts constitution.

The latter days of Thomas Jefferson, spent at his home, Monticello, Va., about which so much controversy has raged recently, were saddened by the debts that eventually drove the estate into the hands of strangers to the Jefferson blood. Monticello also was overrun by hordes of visitors without warrant, who disturbed the rest of its owner and annoyed him with their intrusion. He was too hospitable to close Monticello's gates, but the invasions were sore trials to him. He found compensation and solace in the visits of virtually all of the eminent men of his time who came to the home to seek advice from the "Sage of Monticello."

In 1812 he was imprisoned to run again for president, but refused. Jefferson's successor, James Madison, found a retreat at his home, Montpelier, Va., near the Jefferson estate. His farm, his books, his friends and his correspondence were the sources of his enjoyment and occupation during the twenty years of his retirement. Monroe also returned to a Virginia home and assisted Jefferson and Madison in establishing the University of Virginia. He served the state in other ways until 1830, when the death of his dearly beloved wife drove him to seek a refuge with his daughter in New York city, where he died.

John Quincy Adams held office after leaving the White House. He served as a member of the national house of representatives, leading the anti-slavery men, and died of a stroke of apoplexy suffered on the floor of the house, on a spot in the capitol now marked by a brass plate and pointed out to all visitors to the building.

The Hermitage, Andrew Jackson's estate in Tennessee, was his haven after the storm of his long political life. There he lived for eight years after his retirement from the presidency, tilling the soil and taking an active part in politics. To the end he retained a keen interest in political affairs, especially in the annexation of Texas. Van Buren was one of the few presidents to whom city life appealed, and the greater part of his retirement was spent in New York city. The first part, however, he passed at Lindenwald, a beautiful country estate in Columbia county, N. Y., and he died there. The last years of John Tyler, spent at his Virginia country home, were darkened by the division between the north and south. He upheld the Confederate cause and was elected to the southern congress, but died before he could take his seat.

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out the unexpired term of Garfield and died suddenly after a retirement of one year and eight months.

Benjamin Harrison's retirement lasted eight years, which he spent mainly at his home in Indianapolis. He engaged in the active practice of his profession, the law, and lectured at Lehigh, Stanford, and other universities. President McKinley appointed him a member of the permanent international court of arbitration.

After Grover Cleveland left the presidency for the second time, in 1897, he went back to the law. Like Harrison, he delivered lectures. In the latter part of his life, which ended in 1908, he served as one of the trustees of the Equitable Life Assurance society.

Of former President Roosevelt "It seems hardly necessary to speak. All the world knows how he has spent his time since March 4, 1909.

President Taft, it was announced recently, had made up his mind to accept the professor of the Kent professorship of law at Yale.

Left Office	Died
Washington.....1797	Dec. 14, 1799
Adams, J.....1801	July 4, 1826
Jefferson.....1809	July 4, 1826
Madison.....1817	June 28, 1836
Monroe.....1825	July 4, 1836
Adams, J. Q.....1829	Feb. 23, 1848
Van Buren.....1837	June 8, 1845
Harrison, W. H.....1841	July 24, 1862
Tyler.....1845	Jan. 17, 1862
Polk.....1849	June 15, 1849
Taylor died in office.	
Fillmore.....1853	Mar. 8, 1874
Pierce.....1857	Oct. 8, 1869
Buchanan.....1861	June 1, 1868
Lincoln died in office.	
Johnson.....1869	July 3, 1875
Grant.....1877	July 23, 1885
Hayes.....1881	Jan. 17, 1903
Garfield died in office.	
Arthur.....1885	Nov. 18, 1886
Cleveland.....1897	

(Second term) June 24, 1903
Harrison, B.....1893
McKinley died in office.
Roosevelt.....1909
Taft will leave office March 4.

DR. R. E. BELL DEAD

Passed Away at His Home Saturday

PROMINENT PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON FOR MANY YEARS

Was Also Associate Medical Examiner and Served in the Spanish American War

Dr. Robert E. Bell, the well-known surgeon and associate medical examiner of Lowell, died Saturday evening, at his home, 282 Andover street, after an illness of about a year. Deceased was 51 years old, and his death had been expected for some time.

Dr. Bell was born in Sackville, N. B., and was educated in Addison college there. Later he attended the medical school of the University of New York, and after graduation, received his practical training in the hospitals of that city. He came to Lowell 25 years ago, and was associated with the late Dr. Irish in the Fiske building on Central street. Dr. Bell's reputation as a surgeon increased from year to year, until his career was arrested by illness. He was also known as a specialist in throat, eye and ear diseases.

At the outbreak of the Spanish war Dr. Bell was a captain in the Ambulance corps of the M. V. M., but later he enlisted in the regular army, in which his services as surgeon brought him signal honors. During the war he served in the typhoid camp at Tampa, and in the hospitals of Newport News

and Montauk. At the close of the war he returned to Lowell and resumed his practice, carrying on his regular work, until a year ago when he was taken ill.

He leaves a wife and daughter. The daughter, Ellen, is the wife of his first marriage to Grace Mansur. On May 10, 1907, Dr. Bell married Lottie Mae MacKay, who survives him.

When Dr. Joe V. Meigs was appointed to the position of medical examiner several years ago to succeed Dr. Irish, Dr. Bell was appointed associate medical examiner, which position he held until his death.

He was a former captain of the Ambulance corps, and went with that body to Boston. There he succeeded Capt. Myles Standish, and later retired as a lieutenant-colonel.

He was highly esteemed by his fellow members of the medical profession as among the middle to whom he endeared himself during the Spanish war.

MATHEWS HELD MEETING

And Installed Officers for Ensuing Year

A largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Mathew Temperance Institute was held yesterday morning in its quarters in Dutton street. Two new members were admitted to membership and several propositions for membership were received. The report of the treasurer of the recent musical entertainment showed that the musical evening was successful, socially and financially.

Under new business came the installation of the officers elected at the last meeting. The officers installed were: President, John J. Gutterie; vice president, John E. O'Neill; spiritual adviser, Rev. Dr. D. J. Keeler; treasurer, George F. Brady; recording secretary, James F. Bourke; marshal, George R. O'Neill; board of trustees, Patrick H. Crowley, Bernard A. Connors, John T. McDermott; board of examiners, Frank H. Kelley, Edward A. Welch, Henry Bangsfield; literary committee, Edward A. Lateral, Harry Welch, James F. Riley.

After the installation exercises President Gutterie in a neat speech thanked the members for the honor conferred by them, and he assured them that he would work hard and earnestly for the success of the institute and he hoped to show to the members at the expiration of his term in office that their faith in him had not been misplaced.

A communication from the St. Patrick's day convention was received. The following delegates were chosen to represent the society: Peter F. Brady, John E. O'Neill, Fred Marlow, President John J. Gutterie, John M. Connors, James J. Gallagher and Geo. H. O'Neill.

A committee of three members was appointed to confer with a like committee from the St. Charles T. A. society of Woburn as to the advisability of having series of tournaments between the societies which in the past has been a source of pleasure to the members and their lady friends.

Preparations were made for the annual Easter Monday party. A committee of five members was appointed by the president to bring in a committee of twenty-five to make the necessary arrangements for the affair.

In the afternoon the M. J. T. Bachelor Girls held a meeting in the main hall. Reports were received from the treasurer of the Character party conducted by them last Thursday evening, which showed that the affair was a success in every particular. A special meeting of the girls will be held Tuesday evening, at which very important business will come up.

OLD CRAFTS REVIVED

Homespuns Are Coming Back in England

The latest thing in England is to array your husband in homespuns of your own making or, if you haven't a husband, to wear a scarf or a waist of which you have woven the stuff yourself.

If you are of a sentimental turn of mind or suffer from a romantic strain in your soul makeup and wish to keep your dear departed Fifi ever with you save the combings of your pet while he is still among the living and when a reasonable amount has been accumulated and cleaned, spin and weave it into a wonderfully soft, silky fabric, to be used for various purposes, generally a little couch spread or sofa cushion top. Though some would object to this, it is surely a better monument of a faithful pet than the stiff, stuffed figure in a glass case that is seen occasionally.

In the marked endeavor of the advanced woman to show that she really has no intention of neglecting her duties and leaving the sphere which man believes so adamantly she should occupy, she is reviving all the old arts and crafts which were peculiarly hers in the good old days when a woman was only a woman. But that isn't the only reason why spinning is coming into its own again. There is another very modern reason for that—it is good for the nerves.

The continuous hum and the regular movement of the wheel have a wonderfully soothing effect, and, besides, this is work of a placid, leisurely sort that leads to pleasing results, which is the only kind of work in which one should indulge when one is excited or restless.

Board of Trade. There will be a meeting of the directors of the board of trade this afternoon at 1 o'clock.

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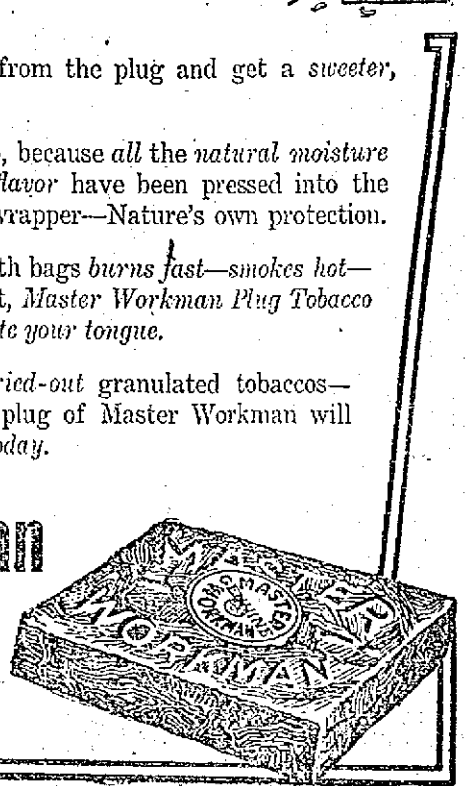
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THE MUNICIPAL SHIFT

The action of the municipal board in transferring Alderman Brown from the street department to that of finance, and Alderman Donnelly from finance to streets, is in the interest of better service. In the early part of the year the street work was conducted in what might be termed an extravagant manner inasmuch as gangs of men were crowded so closely together at different points on the streets, that they scarcely had elbow-room. Towards the close of the year, as might have been expected from such a policy, the funds were exhausted and work was practically suspended for a time. Besides, a number of offices were created that seemed to be entirely unnecessary. We advocated, a year ago, a re-organization that could be depaupered promptly to any point in the city where even a slight defect might be discovered in a street or sidewalk. Prompt attention to small defects in streets would prevent many claims for damages coming against the city. During the past year we had occasion also to remark on the management of this department that the superintendent of streets, although receiving a good salary, was practically suppressed. Supr. Putnam seemed to have no voice in the direction of the department. The commissioner seemed to take into his hands the work which should be left to the superintendent. He hired men and discharged them, which undoubtedly he has the right to do, but if we have a superintendent of streets, and pay him a respectable salary, we expect that he will be given an opportunity to earn the salary and conduct the street work as the superintendent should.

Now that a change has been made we may utter a word of caution to Mr. Donnelly on assuming control of this department. The department, we may say, is not a political machine and is not to be operated as such. The new commissioner has no technical knowledge of street business so far as the general public is aware, and hence it is expected that he will employ a first-class man as superintendent of streets, one who knows the business, one who can be relied upon to do what is right and to serve the interests of the city, at all times, regardless of political expediency or any demand for putting men to work to help a future city or that candidate. Unless this policy be followed we do not expect that the change from Mr. Brown to Mr. Donnelly in the street department will accomplish any good, but we look to Mr. Donnelly to show good judgment in the selection of the men who are to direct and superintend the work of the department. He will have general supervision, of course, in order that things may go right, but he is not to make the mistake of assuming control where technical knowledge of street work is an absolute necessity.

Mr. Brown claims that he was re-elected to remain in charge of the street department; but under our new charter the members of the municipal board assign the departments by a majority vote. The matter of having men elected for special departments was carefully considered in the meetings at which the charter was discussed and it was finally decided that it would be better to leave the assignments to the members of the council themselves. Hence there is no foundation whatever for alderman Brown's claim that he was elected by the people to the street department. In making the change the council has shown a sense of its responsibility for results, for while certain departments may be assigned to this or that alderman, the municipal board as a body is responsible for all departments and this is probably why the change was made.

SALISBURY BEACH QUESTION

The movement to exclude the city of Lowell from the Salisbury beach reservation is fully justified. It was stated when the law was passed that the cities and towns of the district might have no fears over the possibility of being taxed for the beach reservation, as the beach would be self-supporting. This, however, is not quite so certain. If the commission were to undertake improvements on a large scale, it is quite likely that the district would have to meet the expenditure, at least temporarily. Salisbury beach is one of the best upon the New England coast, although part of it is somewhat dangerous for bathing purposes, on account of the declivity with which the shore descends to the water. It should be made an attraction for all New England, and undoubtedly will be in due time. We believe that unless the commission projects some very expensive lines of improvement, the revenues will be ample to meet all expenses. However, as Lowell is about forty miles from Salisbury, our citizens can never enjoy the privileges of the beach to such an extent as to warrant any large expenditure for that purpose.

PAY OF POLICE INCREASED

The main feature of the address of Mayor O'Donnell was the declaration in favor of an increase of pay for the police patrolmen. The police department has been agitating for this increase for a considerable time, and in view of the high cost of living and the splendid record of the department for the past year, we cannot see any good ground for criticizing the action of the mayor in this particular matter. In his review of the departments the special

points reflecting credit upon the work of the board were the reduction of rates in the water department, and the saving of \$12,000 in the fire department. The mayor, in this address, did not deal much with the statistics of each department, which will undoubtedly be given to the public in the department reports.

CHARTER AMENDMENT

The proposition of Representative Craig to have the charter amended was considered at the time the charter was up for revision. The present charter was adopted after a long and free discussion and there is no reason why the people should change it. If the results are not what the people want, they have but themselves to blame. They elected the men who have control of the municipal departments. If these men do not show the proper capacity for managing the city's affairs, the voters can elect other men.

The speech of Hon. Samuel J. Elder at the banquet to Pres. Taft in New York, Saturday night, was an able and eloquent effort to present the president's worth and that of his administration in the strongest light. President Taft spoke for an hour and frankly admitted that he was delivering an address at his own political wake, but all he said of himself and his defeat he might have hoisted down into this statement: "I devoted my time to the duties of the office as I saw them and I declined to use the power and influence of that office to promote my own political fortunes, or in other words, I attended to the nation's business and did not play the game of politics."

The democrats at Washington are already taking up the work of revising the tariff downward so as to get rid of it as soon as possible in the extra session. That will tend to shorten the suspense that is so detrimental to business interests.

The recent storm demonstrated the danger of the overhead billboards. One of the largest was blown down near the depot, tearing part of a brick wall with it, at great risk to pedestrians.

The financial condition of every municipal department should be clearly stated so that the public can judge of the work of the year whether it be good or bad.

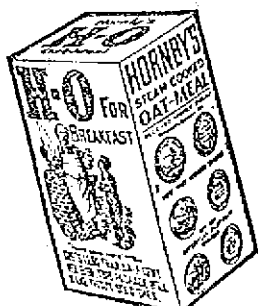
The mild weather cannot bring much comfort to the coal conspirators, who undoubtedly expected to be making a rich harvest by this time.

Seen and Heard

The summer-boarder is at best an uninteresting creature, but the "Monogram Man" is an exception to this rule. Have you ever met him? At first glance he seemed to be quite an ordinary individual, but when he sat down, it was apparent that he was in a class by himself. For he always pulled his trousers up carefully, and displayed to the curious world, a pair of very bright-colored hose, on which his monogram was embroidered in contrasting colors.

Lowell people seem to hardly realize the opportunities for getting superb views from a great height that travelers in their cities look for so persistently. One of the best eminences in this city to observe views of any and all kinds is from the tenth story of our Sun building. On a clear day the New Hampshire hills are plainly visible and in another direction western Massachusetts looms up before our vision. We can look down on Fort Hill and a part of the Merrimack river in Belvidere, noted for its picturesque beauty; the Hammatite Congregation church is in our feet. It seems as if we were gazing from a balcony or a Santa Claus sleigh on chimneys galore; roof gardens of the Y. W. C. A. and the

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Washington club seem so far beneath us as all public buildings ordinarily so elevated from a street level view. But the most unique of all pictures is to be seen after lighting up time, when the long row of mills along the Merrimack river on one side and the Concord on the other are stretched before the eye, with Kodaks, sign, the Merrimack Square and the city lights combined in one grand illumination.

When I was a young thing, knee high to a grasshopper, as my grandmother used to say, I had a gipsy nurse who was a seeress and she insisted some of her seeressing into me. I feel perfectly capable of handing out some prophecies for this happy New Year. I'm great on that line—I once told him he was going to meet a dark man the next day—and he did. Of course, you understand a seeress can't force her own future, otherwise I'd never have embarked on the sea of matrimony three times and got stung. I mean shipwrecked, each time.

It's kind of difficult being a prophetess without the necessary regalia. I'm always the gipsy fortune teller at the fair, our club runs, and I sit in a little room hung with red draperies and lighted by a dim red lamp, and I'm dressed in red with lots of spangles on it, and I have a red bandanna around my head and a big crystal on the table in front of me. I look in the crystal and see things in it.

Without this mossy regalia I find it hard to prophesy, but here goes. I foresee that the weather in 1913 will be erratic—there will be many atmospheric disturbances, resulting in several severe storms during the winter, and continuing to sweep towards the end of July or the early part of August.

Then there will be an earthquake. I cannot tell you exactly where it will hit—my crystal is hazy on that point—but indications seem to make it Europe or South America.

I foresee some political troubles in Europe. The present war will not be well settled before another starts.

In the United States, no more buildings will be blown up by dynamite—for a number of good reasons. Some of our leading citizens, such as John D. Rockefeller, will be tempted to make money as heretofore. There will be many rumors of Vincent Astor's engagement, and one of them may be true. The suffragettes will wax bolder and bolder and they may finally make themselves so obnoxious that the men will force them the ballot to stop their ravings.

I'm getting tired, aren't you? This seeress job isn't all it's cracked up to be—I think I'll wait to see if these things all happen.

Have women a keen sense of humor? No, certainly not. I make the admission with reluctance, but I must, since this is one of the most important and provoking of feminine faults. In Barzile's play, "What Every Woman Knows," the impression is given that woman was made from man's funny-bone, not from one of his ribs. If that were so, then women would laugh. There was a grossly mis-named, for there was nothing laughable in Eve's actions, unless it were the way in which she persuaded her docile husband to eat the forbidden fruit. When you tell a woman a joke she may show a wee glimpse of a smile, but ten to one, she'll turn as cold as ice.

On the occasions when she does laugh, it is usually with "counterfeited glee." I wonder what the explanation of this is? Perhaps a woman can't see a joke for the same reason that she can't do mathematics, for the same reason that she can't make up her mind quickly, or perhaps—perhaps, here comes a humor is so highly cultivated that she deigns to laugh only at a remarkably clever joke. I have my doubts about that last statement.

Miss Jones (in a loud voice): "I'll have some more potatoes, please. And if you've a glass of water, and would you be so kind as to pass the salt and the pickled onions. Yes, I'll have some biscuits."

Thin Lady's Husband: "As I was saying before, Col. Roosevelt is a great man. I hope to see him elected a third time."

Pompous Fat Gentleman (in stilted tones, between spoonfuls of soup): "Have you any reasons for calling him a great man? Do you know anything he has ever done to make him great?"

Waitress: "Anyone want anything more? Yes, Miss Jones, there's apple and mince pie."

Thin Lady's Husband: "There are many men who know more about public affairs than I do, who voted for Col. Roosevelt in the last election—professional men and successful business men."

Pompous F. G.: "But what are your reasons for calling him great?"

Thin Young Thing (with a sugary smile): "Now, Mr. Alexander, don't start a discussion about politics. I think it's perfectly awful the way you men get going over things like that. Don't you, George?"

George (affection for the S. Y. T. beaming from his eyes): "Yes, Angeline. Are you going anywhere to-night?"

Thin Lady: "I should think you'd let Angeline go to bed early for once, George. You were both up very late last night—Mr. Alexander, please pass me the cookies—it must have been after 12 when you retired—Thanks."

Waitress: "No, Miss Jones, there ain't no more biscuits."

Thin Lady's Husband (weakly): "Roosevelt is a great man. He is a born leader—he is an active worker—he—"

Pompous F. G. (severely): Theodore Roosevelt can write a pretty good story, and he can shoot lions, but there are the only things he can do well, and nobody would call him great on that account. He is a good worker, for himself, not for the people." Rising with a fierce glance around the room, "Excuse me." Exit.

Thin Lady's Husband: "Hm, he thinks he knows it all."

Angeline: "Yes, I'll go to the theatre with you, George."

Waitress: "Everybody most through? I'm in a hurry to clear off the table. I've got a date in ten minutes."

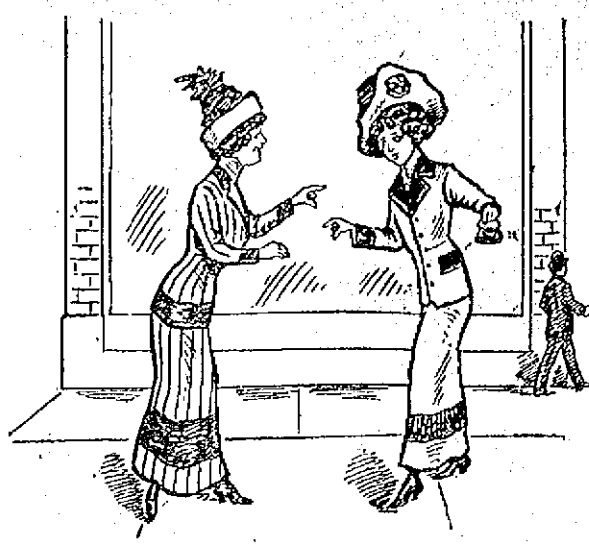
OFFICERS WERE ELECTED

At Meeting of New Board of Directors of C. S. M. L.—Plans to Celebrate "Lowell Night" in Lawrence

The board of directors recently chosen by the Catholic Young Men's League met Saturday. The following are its members: John T. McDermott, John Halloran, John F. Murphy, Chas. A. Smith, Charles Flynn, Frederick L. Welch, Joseph Shea, John Glinivan, T. Rahan, Michael Fleming, Patrick Kelly, Patrick Harrington, Rev. Brother Edmund, Henry Sullivan and John Carroll.

The following were elected officers: John T. McDermott, president; John Halloran, vice president; John F. Murphy, financial secretary, and Fred L. Welch, recording secretary.

Following the election a meeting of the league was held and the officers were installed. Arrangements were completed for the attending of the Lowell night celebration in Lawrence on Thursday night. Cars will leave the corner of Merrimack and Suffolk streets at 7 o'clock. The games to be played are billiards, pool, whist, checkers, forty-five and pitch.



ALICE AND MAY

Alice—Like my new long coat, May? I bought it up on Merrimack street the other day.

May—Say, isn't it a peach, Alice? That shade of brown looks dandy on you. But it's—it's kind of tight, isn't it?

Alice—Yes, I guess it is, but you can't buy one in Lowell that isn't, for love of money. I know it fits like the paper on the wall—in places, and in other places it's a mile too big. I wonder what senseless people designed this year's coats. Of course, the men end mightily near-sighted ones, too! The new coats make women look like animated telegraph poles—if they're thin, and if they're fat, like me, they look like—slights. Oh, you needn't contradict me—I know I look like a walking advertisement of the fat lady in the circus. You'll see a lot more like me any day in the square. But I don't care—it's a fine warm coat.

May—Yes, Alice, it does look warm. Say, I suppose you're going to follow John D.'s advice this year, and save your pennies?

Alice—But out that Alice business, my friend. No, I'm not going to save my pennies—I haven't any to save. These rich guys are always handing out that kind of dope to us poor things. I wonder what little Johnnie would do if he got \$8 per, and had to pay his rent and board and laundry and car-fare out of it, not to mention a Robespierre collar now and then, and a chocolate split? Whenever I have a penny I don't know what to do with, I get weighed to see if I am gaining or losing.

May—I bet these millionaires that talk to poor people about pennies, get a whopping big mark against their names in heaven, for being such hypocrites and for floating over their fellow creatures.

Alice—These millionaires that think they own the earth give me a pain. Let's talk about something else.

May—Have a good time last night at the dance in Associated hall?

Alice—Slick, and what do you think? I went with Joe, and he told me that May told his sister that Margaret is engaged to Dick. Don't tell anyone because Joe's sister promised May she wouldn't tell a soul—it isn't going to be announced until next month—and I promised Joe I wouldn't tell anyone, but I thought you would be interested.

Now don't tell anybody or I'll get in wrong with Joe.

May—Oh, you can trust me, Alice, I won't tell a living soul. I don't see what he sees in her, though; do you? I never did like that girl. Say, what do you think? She wrote a letter once to the Heart Throb column in the morning paper—it was all about how crazy she was over Dick, and she wanted to know how to gain his love. Now, that's a big secret. Margaret made me cross my neck I'd never tell, but I know you'll never repeat it.

Alice—Of course, not. I never thought those letters you read in "Advice to the Lovelorn and Heartbreak" column were real. I didn't think there were such fools in the world.

May—They are real, though. My cousin's brother-in-law knows a man who is an expert on affairs of the heart, that the editor of that column gets stacks of letters every day. Some of them are too crazy to print!

Alice—It's a woman who answers the letters, isn't it? I suppose she's a widow, what's her name, and she's a heavenly sweetest. I got that out of that book I was telling you about yesterday. It's beautiful, isn't it?

May—My cousin told me it isn't a widow, what's her name, and she's a heavenly sweetest. I got that out of that book I was telling you about yesterday. It's beautiful, isn't it?

Alice—Well, honest, I always thought it was a man. A woman, even if she was a widow three times, would never write stuff as silly as some of those answers.

May—Do you really think that all the people who write to that column mean what they say or are they doing it for fun?

Alice—I guess they mean it. I heard a kid about 15 talking to another girl in the square yesterday, and from what she said, I guess she's the kind that keeps the heart throb man doing a rush business. She said that a fellow she was engaged to once got married the other day—that when she thought of it, she felt as though her heart would break. She said that if she had her life to live over again, she'd be more careful about turning a fellow down. And she wasn't more than 16!

CASES IN POLICE COURT

Many Sentences Imposed by Judge Enright

William B. Clark, son of the woman who conducted the alleged disorderly house in Watson avenue which was raided last week, was in court today. The court, after considering the evidence in the case, found Clark guilty and sentenced him to four months in jail. Clark appealed.

Judge's Warning

The only charge against George Martin was that of drunkenness, but after the arresting officer had testified in whispers to the court and Martin's wife also testified in an undertone, another charge was made.

After the court had heard the testimony Judge Enright said: "I am going to be lenient with you on account of your wife and children. You must be crazy to act the way you have and conduct I will send you away for a long period." Martin was then given a suspended sentence of six months in jail and placed in the custody of the probation officer for one year.

A Double-Header Drunk

Mike Smith was arrested Saturday and after going through the sobering up process he was released on bail, and felt so elated over his freedom that he immediately started to celebrate the joyful event and before long he was so drunk that he was arrested for the second time. In court this morning he was fined \$6 for the first drunk and for the other he was given a suspended sentence of four months in jail and placed on probation for six months.

Other Offenders

Hesperiana Battiste said he was a little drunk early yesterday morning. The arresting officer said that Battiste was staggering through Appleton street early in the morning and was filling the air with blasphemous epithets. He was fined \$2.

One woman who was brought before the court on a charge of drunkenness had her case continued until next Saturday morning, the court having learned that the woman's father died in a local hospital this morning.

Elizabeth M. Hayes, charged with drunkenness, was sentenced to four months in jail, and Mary Rice, who will spend the next 15 days in the same place. William H. Dever and Frank Martin were given tickets to the state farm. Fred J. Contois was sentenced to two months in jail, and Joseph D. Cheen was given a suspended sentence of four months in jail. Two first offenders were fined \$2 each and eight simple drunks were released.

Suspension Revoked

Bernard Speckert, who was under a suspended sentence of five months in jail for failing to provide support for his wife, was arrested for drunkenness and after the defendant's wife had testified that her husband did not obey the order of the court to support her and her children, Judge Enright revoked the suspension and Speckert will spend the next five months in jail.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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Several hundred of these Fine Shirts on sale Tuesday morning for 95c

was booked for breaking and entering and larceny.

Lavine informed the police that he was authorized to procure the shoes and rubbers which were found in the dress suit case and he also showed three keys which fitted the locks on the door of the store. The keys were not of the skeleton variety, one being for a Yale lock, the other for a Morrill lock and the third for a padlock.

The man has been employed in a Central street shoe store, has no police record and states he was never arrested before.

Lavine was to have been arraigned in police court this morning but at the request of his counsel, J. Joseph Hennessy, the hearing of the matter was continued till one week from tomorrow.

Kindness Wins \$8000 for Woman

HARRISBURG, Jan. 6.—Margaret J. Brown's kindness four years ago in helping an old peddler onto a trolley car here has won her a reward of \$8000. The young woman, who recently became Mrs. Ray M. Knash, received in her mail yesterday a check for this amount and a note addressed "To the little girl who helped me on a trolley car four years ago." She had almost forgotten the incident. The reward was from Valentine Van Cortland and was mailed from California.

Patterson Rubber Co.

The new building of the Patterson Rubber Co. will soon be completed. One story is already finished and some of the machinery is at hand. The office will be moved some time this week, and it is expected that work will be in full swing early in March.

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All our force busy marking down and arranging stock. Prepare for this event. More than 50 inquiries the past few days. You know our fine stock. The balance will be cleaned out at very small prices.

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FUNERALS

SULLIVAN—The funeral of Catherine F. Sullivan, a well known resident of Centerville took place yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from her home, 49 Jewett street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes including a large pillow inscribed "Sister" and "Aunt," from Mr. and Mrs. J. Sullivan and family; large wreath on base, inscribed "Good Bye Sister," Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sullivan; pillow, inscribed "Sister," Edward F. Sullivan; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius F. Sullivan; cross on base, inscribed "Tavener," Mrs. Sullivan; Mr. and Mrs. Charles McQuarrie; crescent on base, inscribed "At Rest," Miss Mary Sullivan; wreath, inscribed "At Rest," Mr. and Mrs. Daniel L. Sullivan; cross on base, inscribed "At Rest," employees of the Boot cloth room and shipping department; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Keyes; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Conroy and family; spray, Mrs. Margaret Shea and family; spray, Mr. and Mrs. John Carney. The bearers were Cornelius F. Sullivan, Daniel J. Sullivan, Timothy F. Sullivan, Henry J. Sullivan and Edward L. Sullivan, all her brothers, and John Sullivan, a cousin. At the grave Rev. John J. Shaw read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertaker J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

TAISEY—Goldie Taisey, youngest daughter of William E. and Gertrude Taisey, died Saturday at the home of her parents, 104 School street. The funeral took place in the afternoon and the burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery. Undertaker Wm. H. Saunders was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

RICHARDSON—The funeral of Miss Sarah Richardson took place Saturday afternoon from her home in Westford. The services were conducted by Rev. David Wallace, pastor of the Congregational church at Westford. Appropriate selections were sung by a quartet composed of Mrs. Charles Colburn, Miss Grace Lumbert, Arthur A. Day and Horton G. Osgood. The bearers were Messrs. William Fletcher, Elmer Whidden, Amos Polly and William W. Johnson. The burial was in the family lot in the Fairview cemetery at Westford. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HALL—The funeral services of Clara C. Hall were held Saturday afternoon at her home, 50 Whitney avenue, and were largely attended. Rev. Caleb E. Fisher, D. D., pastor of the First Universalist church, officiated. There were many beautiful floral offerings, among which were the following: Sprays of wheat from his family; compass and square from Pentecost lodge, A. F. A. M.; wreath from the Masonic club;

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Silver Girl Oil Stones.....10c Each	Chalk Line Reels.....10c Each
Rat Traps.....10c Each	Pinking Irons.....10c Each
Stove Shovels.....10c Each	Nail Sets.....10c Each
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Shears.....10c Pair	Gimlets.....10c Each
Tool Box.....10c Each	Screw Drivers.....10c Each
Butcher Knives.....10c Each	Gas Pliers.....10c Each
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2 Blade Jack Knives.....10c Each	Carpenters' Aprons.....10c Each
Safety Razors.....10c Each	3 in Clamps.....10c Each
Paint Brushes.....10c Each	Chisel Handle.....2 for 10c
Gas Mantles.....10c Each	Oil Can Steel.....10c Each
Wood Faucets.....10c Each	Oil Stone, in case.....10c Each
Lemon Squeezers.....10c Each	Sponges.....10c Each
Towel Paper, 3 for.....10c	Whitewash Line, can.....10c Each
Folding Garment Hangers.....10c Each	Chair Seats, all sizes.....10c Each
Major's Cement.....10c	Scrub Brushes.....10c Each
Box Spring Cutters.....10c Each	Whisk Brooms.....10c Each
Rules, 2 foot.....10c Each	Paring Knives.....10c Each
Pound Box Wood Screws.....10c Each	Patty Knives.....10c Each
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Am Beet Sugar	40	38 1/2	39
Am Can	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 3/4
Am Can pf	110 1/2	110	110 1/2
Amal Copper	7 1/2	7 1/4	7 1/2
Am Car & Fm	56	55 1/2	55 3/4
Am Oil	56 1/2	56	56 1/2
Am Locom	44 1/2	43	43 1/2
Am Loco pf	106 1/2	106	106 1/2
Am Sugar Rtr	73 1/2	72	72 1/2
Am Sugar Rtr pf	116 1/2	116	116 1/2
Am Steel	40	39 1/2	39 3/4
Atchafon	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 3/4
Atchafon pf	101	101	101
Atchafon & Ohio	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 3/4
Br Exp Tran	91 1/2	91	91 1/2
Canadalia Pa	264 1/2	262	262 1/2
Chas & Ohio	75 1/2	75	75 1/2
Consol Fuel	34	34	34
Consol Fuel pf	140 1/2	140	140 1/2
Don & R G pf	39	39	39
Dis Secur Co	21	20 3/4	21
Eric	32 1/2	31 3/4	31 3/4
Eric 1st pf	49 1/2	49	49 1/2
Eric 2d pf	39 1/2	38 3/4	38 3/4
Gen Elec	184 1/2	183 1/2	183 1/2
Gen North pf	131 1/2	130 3/4	130 3/4
Gen S. & O. pf	40 1/2	40	40 1/2
Int Met Cent	18 1/2	18 1/4	18 1/2
Int Met pf	62 1/2	62 1/4	62 1/2
Int Paper	11 1/2	11	11 1/2
Int Paper pf	46	46	46
I S Pump pf	69	69	69
Kan & Tex	29 1/2	29	29 1/2
Kan & T pf	62 1/2	62 1/4	62 1/2
Louis & Nash	141 1/2	141	141 1/2
Nex Cent	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
Missouri Pa	43 1/2	43 1/4	43 1/2
N Y Air Brake	78 1/2	78 1/4	78 1/2
N Y Central	108 1/2	108	108 1/2
Nor & West	113 1/2	113	113 1/2
North Pac	123 1/2	123	123 1/2
Ont & West	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
Pennsylvania	129 1/2	129	129 1/2
People's Gas	114 1/2	114	114 1/2
Reading	165 1/2	165	165 1/2
Rep Iron & S	26	26	26
Rock Is	23 1/2	23 1/4	23 1/2
Rock Is pf	43 1/2	43 1/4	43 1/2
St. Paul	115 1/2	115	115 1/2
So Pacific	106 1/2	106	106 1/2
Southern Ry	28 1/2	28 1/4	28 1/2
Southern Ry pf	80 1/2	80 1/4	80 1/2
Tenn Copper	38 1/2	38 1/4	38 1/2
Third Ave	39 1/2	39 1/4	39 1/2
Union Pac	162 1/2	162	162 1/2
Union Pac pf	92 1/2	92 1/4	92 1/2
U S Pub	63 1/2	63 1/4	63 1/2
U S Rub pf	157 1/2	157 1/4	157 1/2
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Westinghouse	78 1/2	78 1/4	78 1/2

Sugar Reduced

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EXTENSION OF TIME

To Change Pleas Granted

R. R. Officials

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OSGOOD—Dr. George C. Osgood, for the past 50 years or more one of the city's prominent residents, passed away late Saturday night at the home of his son, John A. Osgood, 117 Bowers street. He leaves one brother, Edward P. Osgood of Somerville; a sister, Mrs. Joseph W. York of Foxbury, Mass.; three sons, John A., George W. and C. H., and one daughter, Mrs. O. E. White of Taunton. He is survived also by six grandchildren.

Dr. Osgood, when a young boy, came to this city with his parents from West Newbury, Mass., where he was born Dec. 22d in the year 1838. He began work in the office of Dr. Allen in Hurd street and remained in the latter's employ through early manhood. On Mar. 7, 1866, he was graduated from the Harvard Medical school.

In 1868, during the Civil war, Dr.

Trunk railroad of Canada, indicted for violating the criminal clause of the Sherman anti-trust law, has been granted an extension of time, in which to change the form of their pleas was granted by the court.

The defendants will have until next Monday, under this ruling, to demur or change their tentative pleas of not guilty, already entered.

When the case came before Judge Hough in the federal court today John Lindsay, attorney for both Mellen and Chamberlin, asked for a hearing and time to study the case and determine whether he wished to make any preliminary motions. The extension was granted at his request.

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HIGHER FIGURES			
IMPORTANT STOCKS WERE IN DEMAND AT OPENING			
Fluctuations Mostly Fractional During the Morning Hours—The Market Weak at Close			
NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Most of the important stocks sold at slightly higher figures in the first transactions today. American Tobacco made an exceptional gain of 1 1-2. Southern and Western Maryland were heavy. Pressure against a few specialties caused the general list to fall back but moderate buying of Union Pacific which rose to 162 stiffened the market again. Sugar lost 1 California Petroleum 1-4 and Mexican Petroleum 1-4.			
General influences seemed to have little bearing on the movement of stocks during the morning and fluctuations were mostly fractional. The strength of U. P. offset the speculative attacks against specialties which recently have been weak and toward noon the advance in the general market became more pronounced. Several of the important issues rose a point. Boston closed down.			
Announcement from Washington that the supreme court had sustained the attorney general in his refusal to permit the distribution of U. P. equities in the Southern Pacific according to the plan devised by the Harriman interests caused another lively selling movement. U. P. fell 4-4 from its highest and other active issues from one to two points. Southern Pacific touched 104 1-2.			
The market closed weak, a pause in the selling movement failed to bring much of a recovery and the bears took advantage of the dearth of buying orders to make another determined attack. U. P. Stem, Reading and virtual all the active features sold at a lower level than previous, with trading increasing largely on the down grade.			
Heavy Selling of U. P.			
WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—For the first few minutes after Wall street heard of the supreme court's ruling with reference to the dissolution of the Union and Southern Pacific merger there was heavy selling of Union Pacific, which broke four points. It quickly recovered part of the loss, however. S. P. was not affected.			
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La Rose	2 1/2	2 1/4	2 1/4
Marquette	56	55	55
Nev Douglas	2 1/2	2 1/4	2 1/4
Ohio Copper	1 1/2	1 1/4	1 1/4
Raven	27	26	26
R. I. Coal	100	100	100

Money Market

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Prime mercantile paper 6 1-2-8. Sterling exchange strong at 48.40 for sixty day bills and 48.50 for demand. Commercial bills 48 1-2-4. Bar silver 53 5-8. Mexican dollars 49. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds firm. Money on call easy at 5 1-2-3-4 per cent; ruling rate 3 1-4. Last loan 3. Closing bid 2 1-4. Offered at 3. Time loans steady. Sixty days 5-5 1-4. Ninety days 5. Six months 4 1-2-5.

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CONNERY
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ALD. DONNELLY SWORN INTO OFFICE

At This Afternoon's Meeting of Municipal Council—Departments Assigned

The adjourned meeting of the municipal council was resumed this afternoon. The attendance was large and all seemed greatly interested in the proceedings. Commissioner James E. Barrett, although Mr. Brown voted for Donnelly was sworn into office by Mr. Cummings.

The commissioner of public property for 1913 will be Alderman Cummings, who received a unanimous vote.

Alderman Barrett made a motion that 250 copies of the mayor's address be printed and the cost to be paid from the commissioner's incidental fund.

The following constables were granted licenses: Bernard F. Gately, Daniel Emery, Jos. S. Lapierre, John McManus, Harry Demaras, William F. Boyle, Antoine F. Dragon, Jos. H. Gregoire, M. L. Crowley, Alberic W. Branchard, Ezra B. Mansur, Nicholas D. Syropoulos, John J. Pinder, Kazimierz Padgurski.

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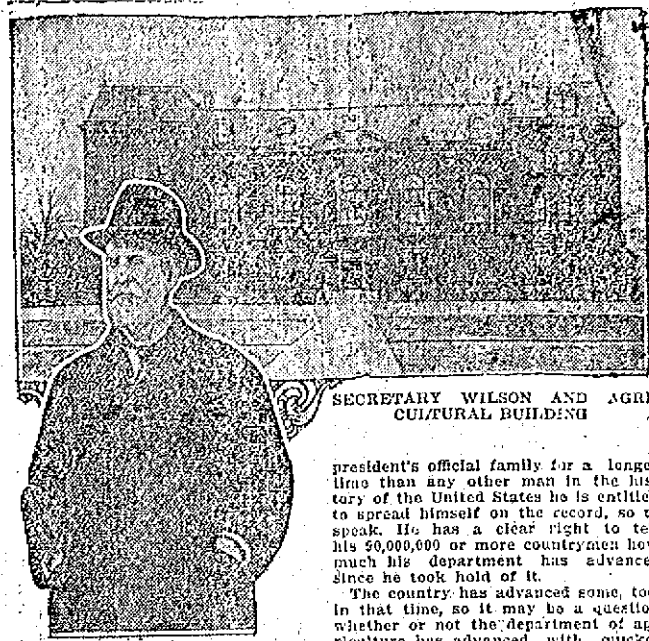
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Tama Jim Has Bidden Us a Long Anticipatory Farewell, in Print



SECRETARY WILSON AND AGRICULTURAL BUILDING

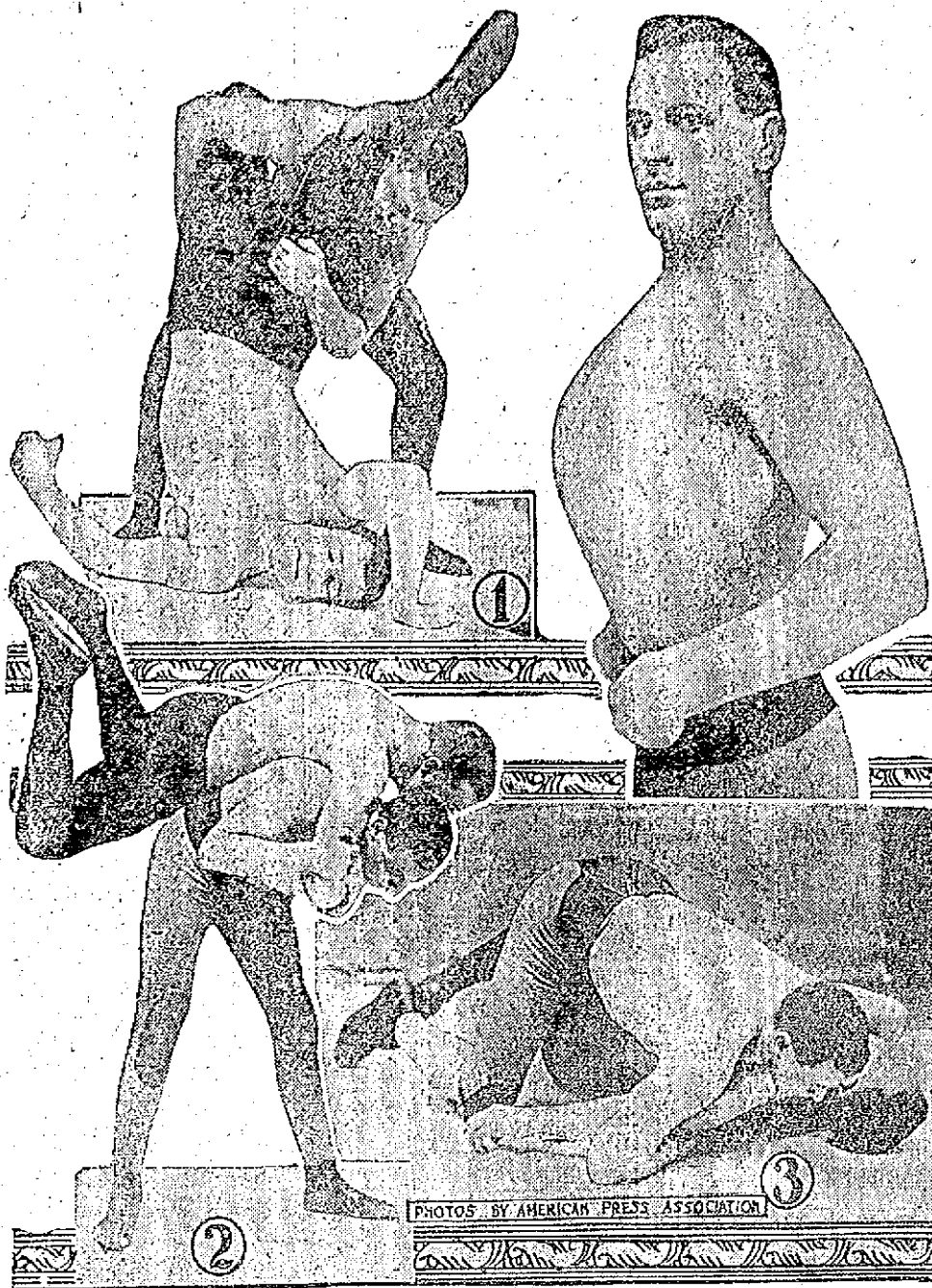
president's official family for a longer time than any other man in the history of the United States he is entitled to spread himself on the record, so to speak. He has a clear right to tell his 50,000,000 or more countrymen how much his department has advanced since he took hold of it.

The country has advanced some, too. In that time, so it may be a question whether or not the department of agriculture has advanced with quicker step. But Uncle Jim brings forth a fine array of facts and figures to show the progress made by his department since he took charge way back at the beginning of McKinley's administration, in 1897. Yes, McKinley appointed him and Roosevelt kept him, and that found that the farmers of the United States wanted him retained, so Wilson stayed in the cabinet.

Here is what Mr. Wilson says of the progress of his department since he became its secretary:

The record of sixteen years has been written. It begins with a yearly farm production of \$1,000,000,000 and ends with \$3,532,000,000. Sixteen years ago the farmer was a joke of the caricaturist, now he is like the stone that was rejected by the builder and has become the headstone of the corner. The tillers of the soil were burdened with debts, but prosperity followed and grew with unexampled speed. Beginnings have been made in a production per acre increasing faster than the

Views of Irslinger, Middleweight Champion of Europe, Who is After Scalp of American Wrestlers



PHOTOS BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Zbyczco, the giant Pole, who is after a match with Frank Gotch for the world's championship, will not be the only foreign wrestler occupying the limelight in the grappling world this season. Another star recently arrived in this country who gives promise of helping to make mat history. He is Henry Irslinger of Austria, holder of the middleweight and light heavyweight championship of Europe. Henry's first big bout in this country will be with George Bothner, famous veteran, considered the cleverest man that ever appeared on the mat. In this battle Irslinger will be put to a severe test. He has agreed to throw George three times in an hour in this city Jan. 23. The match will be decided under catch-

as-catch-can rules at catch weights. In this Irslinger may have bitten off more than he can chew. Wrestling fans do not believe that there is a man in the world who can throw Bothner three times in an hour. Men half again as heavy as he is have tried to throw him once and failed. Tom Jenkins couldn't pin his shoulders to the mat, nor could dozens of others. It may be that Irslinger will accomplish the feat that baffled many others. Bothner is not as young as he was. He is many years older than Irslinger, and if his youthful rival triumphs over him it will be due as much to the increasing weight of years as to the foreigner's superior ability. Then, too, Irslinger will outweigh Bothner many pounds. The American is always close to the

155 pound notch, while Irslinger will probably weigh around 175 pounds. Although Irslinger is a youth in years, he is old in experience. He is an Austrian by birth. He has been wrestling for many years and in many lands. He cleaned up all opponents in continental Europe and then crossed over to England and repeated his victories there. Irslinger has issued a challenge to Fred Beal, American (Gus Schoonleyn) or any other light heavyweight wrestler in America. Unlike many foreigners who are solely Greco-Roman wrestlers, Irslinger is an expert catch-as-catch-can grappler. Picture No. 1 shows Irslinger executing crotch hold on his partner; No. 2, the flying mare; No. 3, pinning his opponent's shoulders to the mat. Best picture shows greatest development of Irslinger.

natural increase of population. There has been an uplift of agriculture and of country life.

"In the last sixteen years the farmer has increased steadily the wealth production year by year, with the exception of 1911. In the sixteen years the farmer's wealth production increased 141 per cent.

"Most productive of all agricultural years in this country has been 1912. The earth has produced its greatest annual dividend. The sun and the rain and the fertility of the soil heeded not the human controversies, but kept on working in co-operation with the farmer's efforts to utilize them. The prices at the farm are generally profitable and will continue the prosperity that farmers have enjoyed in recent years. The total production of farm wealth is the highest yet reached by a billion dollars. The grand total for 1912 is estimated to be \$3,532,000,000. This is more than twice the value of the farm wealth in 1897.

"More than \$105,000,000,000 is the grand total of farm wealth production in the last sixteen years—an amount equal to about three-quarters of the present national wealth.

"The most effective move toward reduced cost of living is the production of greater crops, and this move is due to the work of the department of agriculture, the agricultural colleges and experiment stations and to the help of the press in publishing every move made to help the farmer. The nation forget its farmers in the general scheme of education of past years, and few philanthropists thought of them when giving for education, but they are waking up and thinking for themselves, and congress has been good to them."

From 2,444 employees in 1897 and an appropriation of \$2,779,922 the agricultural department had increased to 13,328 employees at the beginning of the present fiscal year, with an appropriation this year of almost \$25,000,000. There now are 52,000 requests every week for department publications, whereas there were only 500 in 1897. In sixteen years 225,000,000 copies have been distributed. In soil investigation an area of 628,000 square miles, equal to that of Germany, France, Great Britain, Ireland and Italy, has been covered.

the country's best trained scientific agriculturists Mr. Wilson has followed the plow himself.

Painting of President-elect Wilson
NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Painting of a portrait of President-elect Wilson may occupy much of his time for sitting between now and March 4, as it is understood the portrait is to be ready to hang in the White House soon after inauguration. It was learned today that William M. Chase, one of many portrait painters who have sought the opportunity has received the commission to paint the portrait.

Hero Fund Established
NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—A new sort of hero fund has been established by the Consolidated Gas Co. of this city, nine of whose employees are proudly exhibiting to their friends \$10 gold pieces as rewards for reviving would-be suicides. Employees are being taught both the use of the pulmotor and what is known as the prone pressure method of restoring to consciousness those overcome by gas. The company has established an emergency wagon which responds with speed to any call for the services of its men and apparatus for saving lives.

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The United States Cartridge Co. defeated the M. C. L. in a game in the Heinz-Cartridge bowling league series Saturday night, winning three of the four points. The bowling of Arnold of the defeated team was the feature of the game.

The game between the Jamsons and Phillips, played on the Crescent alleys Saturday night, resulted in a victory for the former team. None of the members of either team was able to reach the century mark on a single.

Teams One and Two of the recently organized Courier-Citizen Job Department bowling league met on the alleys Saturday night and Team Two won all four points. Turnbull, of the vanquished team, was high man.

The scores:

U. S. CARTRIDGE CO.				
	1	2	3	Totals
A. Chadwick	85	80	81	246
Durkin	75	80	80	235
M. Chadwick	82	80	80	242
Arnold	105	102	98	295
Schenker	94	82	91	267
Totals	440	422	427	1289

M. C. L.				
	1	2	3	Totals
Ingalls	88	80	114	282
Marshall	81	81	79	241
McClough	81	77	70	228
B. Clough	84	91	82	257
Atkinson	103	69	86	258
Totals	447	419	432	1308

JAMSONS.				
	1	2	3	Totals
Siscox	88	87	81	256
Burns	80	80	85	245
Stuarts	86	70	80	236
Rousseau	93	80	61	234
Boudreau	96	76	77	249
Totals	463	413	395	1271

FILLINGS				
	1	2	3	Totals
Mason	75	82	75	232
Cate	80	85	80	245
Hagerman	85	82	77	244
Montgomery	93	77	84	254
Talbot	100	78	85	263
Totals	493	414	415	1322

TEAM ONE				
	1	2	3	Totals
Fields	68	68	73	209
Nobles	64	72	66	202
Kennedy	71	63	72	206
O'Hara	62	70	78	210
Turnbull	75	69	80	224
Totals	340	355	378	1073

TEAM TWO				
	1	2	3	Totals
Dwyne	66	62	56	184
Mulcahey	82	105	70	257
Gobin	62	75	80	217
O'Hara	84	80	78	242
Matthews	70	85	75	230
Totals	362	411	405	1178

The following is the standing of the teams in the recently organized Saco-Lowell bowling league:

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Foundry	3	3	50
Shippers	3	1	750
Office	3	1	750
Draftsmen	1	3	250
Shop	1	3	250
Ritson	1	3	250

Tonight the Foundry will roll the Shippers and the Shop will roll the Ritson. On Wednesday night the office rolls the Draftsmen.

The schedule of the Brunswick league for the week of Jan. 6-13 is as follows:

Monday: Martins vs. Arguinas.
Tuesday: Parcel Post vs. Giants.
Friday: Plumbers vs. Contractors.

BAY WOOD AND FLYNN

Will Appear Here Next Friday Night

For this week's meeting of the Lowell Social and Athletic club a program in keeping with the excellent bills of the past several weeks has been arranged. In the main bout the principals, two of the best lightweights in New England, will appear. These are Eddie Flynn of Lynn and Bay Wood of Fall River. Flynn is one of the most popular boxers seen at the local club this season. His popularity is due to the fact that every time he stepped into the arena at the local club he gave the members a run for their money and always can be depended upon to give a splendid exhibition. He is a good fighter and a clean sport. His recent bout here with Young Jasper of Boston will be remembered as one of the fastest bouts ever seen in this city.

After 12 rounds, final rounds, Referee Thomas called the battle a draw. The decision was a good one inasmuch as the two men were in great shape and fought evenly. Flynn has been resting since that encounter and is now in training for the match. Bay Wood of Fall River, while not generally known here, is one of the most formidable lightweights in this section. His exhibition at Manchester last Friday night, when he boxed a draw with Gilbert Gallant, was announced in the Manchester papers as the liveliest bout of the season. He is as quick as a flash and a hard hitter. He has met considerable difficulty that the local management secured his signature to the paper to come here and entertain the members. He has agreed to come and accept his forfeit with the treasurer. For the semi-final Young Clark, who recently received a decision over Carter Brooks, will clash with Kid Pearl, a very likely young boxer, and the preliminaries will be furnished by Kid Shea and Kid George, both of Lowell, and Kid Dunn of Marlboro vs. Young Smith of this city. Each of the "prelims" is scheduled for six rounds. The meeting will be held in Mathew hall and will start at 8.15.

Although there will be a few changes made before the final list is complete, the following are among the list of starters in the Paris six-day race this month. Brocco-Berthier, Comes-Petit, Breton, Heughebaert, Dure-Lapize, Verri-Polledri, Beil, Grubb, Oliver-Cupelandt, Schmel, Grubb, Charon, Brathwaite, Motron, Cotrol, Gouillet-Foelix, Root-Lawson and Marcelli-Duhal. The Australian pair, may also be among the starters.

Jack Neville, the peerless trainer for Frank Kramer, sailed for France on the French line steamer, La Provence, Thursday, Dec. 26. Neville is going over to prepare the way for his champion, who is due to sail on Jan. 11. Before leaving Newark Jack was tendered a "going away" party by a number of his friends.

Firemen in Conference
NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The general adjustment committee representing the firemen on eastern railroads headed by W. S. Carter, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, gathered today for conference with the managers' committee of the roads on the firemen's demands. The last conference was held about two weeks ago, when the firemen submitted demands which were modified for the second time.

Grand Chief Carter today reiterated his hopes of a peaceful settlement and said he believed the chances were strongly in favor of one.

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MASS. SCHOOL SYSTEM SECOND

Sage Foundation Investigation Gives Our Schools Second Rank Among 48 States

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The results of the latest study conducted by the Russell Sage foundation were made public in Bulletin 124 of the foundation's division of education, under the title "A Comparative Study of State School Systems in the Forty-Eight States." According to this report, the state school system of Massachusetts takes second place in general efficiency among the systems of the 48 states of the Union. Some of the disclosures made in the report are of striking significance.

The Shortest School Year

Rhode Island has the longest school year of any state—193 days—but if these 153 days of schooling were divided equally among the children of school age in the state, the result would be 116 days of schooling each. The report terms this the "effective school year," and compares the 48 states on this basis. The results of this comparison show that this state provides 131 days of schooling for every child of school age. In nearly a quarter of the states the effective school year is less than three months. As a nation, the United States has a shorter school day, a shorter school

week, and a shorter school year than any other highly civilized country in the world.

Half a Billion a Year

Our expenditures for public education have more than doubled in the past ten years. Today, the people of the United States spend nearly half a billion dollars a year on their public schools. The expenditure per child of school age ranges all the way from \$3 in South Carolina to nearly eleven times as much, or \$32, in Washington. The amount that the state has invested in school buildings is an index of its past interest in education. In Mississippi the average investment per child in school buildings and property is \$4, while in Massachusetts it is nearly 22 times as much, or \$115. In current expenditure per child of school age, this state takes 4th place among the 48 states. A significant fact in connection with this expenditure for school property is that as a nation we allow our public schools to burn down at the rate of more than one for every school day in the year.

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non-enforcement, waste much of the money that they expend on their schools. Some states have long school years and short attendance years. The per cent of attendance ranges from about 60 in Maryland and Mississippi to more than 80 in Oregon and Massachusetts.

In North Carolina, New Mexico, Arkansas and Alabama, the attendance period is so short that the average pupil would need about 22 years to complete an elementary course of eight years of nine full school months each. If he were compelled to live up to this standard, he might enter school at the age of five, and not get his eighth grade certificate until he was 27.

Annual Earnings

In 18 of the 48 states, the average annual wage of public school teachers amounts to less than one dollar a day. In just five states is it more than two dollars a day. The highest average salary paid in the United States is \$318, in California, and the lowest is \$200, in North Carolina. The rank of our state is 4th among the 48, with an average annual salary of \$257 per teacher.

According to this study, the average annual wage of carpenters in the United States is about \$402, of coal miners \$600, of factory workers \$550, of common laborers \$511, and of teachers \$450. Throughout the southern states, thousands of rural teachers earn less than \$150 a year. In one New England state hundreds of teachers earn less than six dollars per week. In one county in a Central Atlantic state the average for all teachers is \$129 per year. One southern state rents its convicts to contractors at a little more than \$100 per year, while it pays its public school teachers slightly over \$300.

Washington Leads

In general all-round efficiency, this study places Washington first among the states of the Union, with Massachusetts a close second, and New York third. All of the states have weak points which need to be remedied. The object of publishing the results of this study at the present time is to bring these weak points to the attention of educators and to place in the hands of state legislators an authoritative statement of present public school conditions. Copies are to be sent to every member of every state legislature convening in 1913.

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MOTION PICTURE FILMS

11,000 Miles Exported From U. S. in 1912

Eleven thousand miles of motion picture film, 30 million dollars' worth of automobiles, a million dollars' worth of telephones, and more than \$100,000 worth of aeroplanes were among the exports from the United States in the year just ended.

The United States is the world's largest producer of motion picture film, and the quantity exported during the year aggregates more than 60 million feet, approximately 11,000 miles, or enough to stretch from New York to Manila.

The popularity of the American automobile is also evidenced by the fact that the exports of automobiles and parts thereof, including tires, approximates 30 million dollars in 1912, against 22 million in 1911, 15 million in 1910, and 9 million in 1909. Telephones have only been separately stated in the export figures since the middle of 1911, but sufficient data is at hand to justify the statement that the exports of 1912 are more than a million dollars in value. Aeroplanes have only been shown as a separate class since the middle of 1911, but the figures at hand indicate that the value of the year's exports will be about \$125,000.

A striking fact shown by the automobile figures is the marked decline in the price at which the machines are exported. In 1907 the average export price was nearly \$1800 per machine; in 1909, \$1475; in 1911, about \$1000; and in 1912, a little less than \$1000 each, the average export price at the present time being thus but little more than one-half that of 1907. The average price of aeroplanes exported in 1912 was about \$3400 per machine.

The automobiles exported are sold chiefly in British territory. Of the 21,797 machines exported in the 12 months ending with November, 6844 went to Canada, 4371 to the United Kingdom, and 3,112 to British Oceania. Of the motion picture film exported, over three-fourths went to the United Kingdom.

Cricket Club Meeting
The annual meeting of the North Chelmsford Cricket and Athletic club was held Saturday afternoon in the town hall in North Chelmsford. There was a large attendance of members and President William Ballinger occupied the chair. The reports of the various officers were read and they showed that the club is in a flourishing condition.

The doings of the organization during the past year and plans for the ensuing year were discussed by the members and indications are that the year 1913 will be the brightest and most successful in the history of the club.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Arthur Hillier; vice president, William Ballinger; secretary, Samuel Kershaw; treasurer, George Legman; executive board, Fred Ballinger, John Cookson, Frank Holdsworth, Frank McComb, Ralph Armitage and Walter Metcalfe. The prizes for the best batting and bowling averages for the past season were awarded to the following: Batting, first prize, to John Cookson, who obtained the creditable average of 17.3; second, Herbert Hoyle; bowling, to Walter Metcalfe and Joseph Hoyle, who tied for first position.

At six o'clock a chicken pie supper was served after which an entertainment program was carried out.

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THE LADY COP ARRIVES

Eve of An Era of Women Police Officers

Continuing our discussion about modern occupations for women, I want to tell you something about the very latest thing. If you desire to be ultra-smart in your choice of occupation, become a lady policeman. Only a select few have as yet entered the profession, but women are well adapted to its duties and there are wonderful inducements and opportunities offered to those who take up the work. It's dignified, too, very dignified; also it's a responsible position, and if there are any two things a woman may crave, they are dignity and responsibility.

Women have always adored uniforms on men, or is it men in uniforms, so why shouldn't they be tickled to wear them themselves? Navy blue is vastly becoming to all women, blondes or brunettes, and with the addition of gold buttons and quantities of gold braid, the uniforms ought to look beautiful on the new members of the force. For the women, the winter uniforms ought to be trimmed with fur—bands of fur around the bottom of the skirt and on the collar and cuffs. Fur gauntlets and a fur toque would complete a dainty costume. In summer the uniform could be made of dark blue linen, with large pearl buttons down the front, and a black sailor hat could be worn with this outfit. "Klippy" is the word for the lady cops when they appear in this dainty regalia.

Policewomen would hardly ever be called upon to use weapons, but as an insignia of their rank, and also to give desperate criminals the impression that they are able to use the weapons if necessary, the ladies ought to wear dainty rosewood billies, suspended by gold chains from the wrist. Then a silver-mounted revolver should be worn on a watch chain around the neck and tucked in the belt, ready for use should occasion arise. We fervently hope and pray that the ladies will never have to resort to the use of these dangerous weapons because even a silver-mounted revolver can be deadly in the hands of an excited female, who can't shoot straight when she's sober. I mean when she's not induly excited—but who can shoot even less straight when she's flustered. When a dog goes mad in the summer the copesses should be excused from shooting the mad dog, not only to spare their tender feelings, but also for the lady cop's passenger; this disgraceful duty should be passed over to a mere man.

Where a man cop has to intimidate and subdue by force, a lady cop can accomplish the same thing in quicker time by her authoritative personality and her few well-chosen and appropriate remarks on the subject. In the case of very bad law-breakers, who will not be readily persuaded to go along with the lady, the latter may be allowed to pull the culprit's hair or shake him. These two methods of punishment, administered together with a steady line of talk, are guaranteed to reduce the most hardened and obstinate criminal to a docile, harmless creature, who will let him self be hustled away to the patrol wagon without a murmur. But the lady cops won't be required to use such measures often, unless it be on members of their own sex—when the offenders are men, the lady will only have to announce that they are under arrest and they will trot along with her willingly.

The duties of the policeman will be quite easy. There will be four shifts every twenty-four hours, instead of two, and there will be two cops to one beat, so that the ladies won't get lonesome, and incidentally, will have someone to talk to, while on the job. Later, when women have got control of the police department, there will be electric ambulances, for the use of the women night cops, and a first-aid fund good form for a woman to be seen alone on the streets in the "ice sm" hours. After a few years in power, the women will have been so efficient as reformers, that there will be no need of night cops.

There will be no bribery nor graft in the police department when the women are the bosses—no scandal, no favoritism, no gossip. You may give a police official some bribe money, and she'll promise to do what you say, but she's bound to change her mind, or else forget about the matter, and if you should delicately suggest that you wanted your bribe money back in such a case, you'd be arrested for perjury or fraud. The only dissenters, the only rifts in the hute of the police force will be a slight amount of jealousy among the women, but this is only to be expected until the millennium arrives.

Women are going to replace men, not only as ordinary cops, but as higher officials, and even as judges and lawyers, too. In 1915, we'll see a court with a woman on the bench, a woman district attorney, a woman clerk of court and a woman jury. This is no pipe dream—if you don't believe me, just ask the suffragettes who are now hailing it along the Hudson. We can foresee that it will be hard for a woman to come up an agreement, for when a woman makes up her mind, it's pretty hard to induce her to change it, even if she's the only dissenting member of the jury. However, the argument that it is time to get supper, will usually bring her over, unless she's actuated by spiteful motives, and wants to keep a fellow jurymen away from the theatre that night.

Oh, but it'll be a great old world when the department of justice is feminine.

A Petticoat Fad
Half the girls you meet these days are making themselves petticoats of fine white satin. They wash well, are not transparent, so but one skirt need be worn with thin frocks, and have the sheen of silk.

Get a good quality, mercerized preferably, and cut in one of the new petticoat patterns of straight lines. Finish the bottom with a deep hem, five or seven inches, and finish the edge with scallop trimming about half an inch wide. This can be sewed on by the machine and gives a smart look to the skirt at little cost or trouble. The trimming usually costs but 3 or 4 cents a yard and may be sewed on by the machine.

Similar skirts are made in black satin to wear under dark gowns, and women have two or three of each kind instead of the usual cambric petticoat or one of unserviceable silk.

If you are making your own blouses this season you will find the silk targes, the washable satins and the unshrinkable flannels offer endless variety. Wash satin in white with a stripe of brilliant red or green would turn up into an attractive waist for those who like their clothes to have a bit of dash.

Foxhall Keene, Polo Player, Will

Probably Inherit Father's Wealth



NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The death of James H. Keene, following an illness that has caused his retirement for years, has set the wise ones guessing as to the amount of his fortune and the disposition he made of it. Some estimates place his wealth at \$20,000,000, while others say it will not be more than \$2,000,000. There are few facts on which to base a guess. Mr. Keene was never communicative about his personal affairs, and most of his wealth was invested in stocks and bonds as to which there is no public record. Mr. Keene had two children, a son and a daughter. The daughter was married to Talbot J. Taylor, whom she divorced some years ago. The son, Foxhall Keene, was with his father when he died, and it is believed that he will inherit the bulk of the estate, but the son is an athlete and is noted as

a polo player. He has never made much of a mark as a business man, but was interested in the turf until racing was made unlawful in New York.

For Keeping Floors Bright

Polishing floors is hard work, and calls for no end of "elbow grease." For a hardwood, or stained wood floor, take eight ounces of yellow beeswax, one quart of Venetian turpentine, cut the wax into small pieces and pour the turpentine over it, and let stand in a vessel of warm water until dissolved, which it will readily do; then bottle. Apply a very little at a time with a flannel cloth, rubbing until there is none left on the surface, then proceed until the whole floor is finished. It keeps the floor in excellent order, and the polish is required ordinarily about once in six months.

Soupsuds should never be used on a hardwood floor that is oiled or waxed. All that is needed is to wipe with a cloth dampened in a little warm water—say, a wash-basin full, to which about two tablespoonsful of coal oil has been added. One teaspoonful of the basin will be enough for anything unless very dirty. The oil should be well stirred into the water, the cloth just dampened, wrung out as dry as possible before use, and the floor polished afterwards with a clean flannel cloth. This is good for all kinds of floors.

After scouring a floor preparatory to oiling or waxing, it should get perfectly dry before applying the polish. A weighted brush, or a warm woolen cloth should be used to polish with. If all wax or oil is well rubbed in the floor will be gummy and sticky, and gather a coating of dirt hard to remove.

A brush and dust pan should be kept at hand for gathering up the little patches of dirt, such as that made when kindling the fire, or about the children will soon take pride in using them, to the no small help of the hurried housewife. Give the kiddies the happiness of "helping mamma," you don't know how helpful they can be, even under three years old. And it is good for them, too.

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PAUL MARCEL COMPANY

Paul Marcel and his clever French dramatic company will be seen again at the Opera House next Friday evening, January 10. This time they will

play for laughter and the active incentive to hilarious mirth will be "Vingt Pours d'Yombe."

HARRY LAUDER

Harry Lauder, the Scotch comedian, will make his appearance at the Opera House on Friday afternoon, Jan. 10, under the direction of William Morris, who has managed all of his American tours. This will be Lauder's fifth visit to this country, and this year he comes with the added honors of having been one of the principle features at the "Command Performance" given before

King George and Queen Mary at the Palace Theatre, London, this fall. For his supporting company, Mr. Morris has engaged the famous Football Dogs, from the Alhambra, London; Arthur Astill, "The Whistling Ploughboy," from the Oxford; Hans and Mous, Alexis, from the Folies Berere, Paris; Carl Rosine and Mlle. Marguerite, from the Olympia, Paris and others.

THE RED WIDOW

Had not Cicero Hannibal Butts, a retired millionaire carpet manufacturer of Yonkers, N. Y., succumbed to the

smiles of beautiful Anna Vavara, "The Red Widow" would never have been written into story form, and which has developed into one of the most successful musical entertainments of the year. However, Cicero fell, and Raymond Hitchcock will show how great the fall was thereof when he appears at the Opera House, Tuesday, Jan. 11.

The Playhouse

Sidney Grundy, a playwright, who has given the modern stage some of its boldest offerings, is the author of "Sawyer the Wind" which is to be let attraction given by The Drama Players during the week. The play presents wonderful opportunity to those engaged to display unusual dramatic skill, and that the players will not be found wanting goes without saying.

One of the big events of the season will be given the first of a series of presentations this afternoon at the Merrimack Square Theatre. It is the second annual Irish week and as a fitting headline for this important attraction, The Temple Players will be seen in a melange of songs and dances from the "Land of the Shamrock," "Dublin Town," is the title of the offering and all the different members of the company will be given something in which his or her particular talent runs. Anna Madigan & Co., in "A Dream of the Golden East," a complete scenic production in which the little love story runs is another of the many bright novelties on the bill, as is Balfie O'Reilly, the Niblo lectures on Ireland and Kalem's masterpiece in photography, "The Shaughraun," which was acted and produced in Ireland.

Keith's Theatre

William Macart, creator of living, breathing characters for the stage, will, with Ethylene Bradford and company, present the splendid comedy called "The Second Generation," at the Keith Theatre, this week. Mr. Macart, who for many years has been a player of the line of characters which demonstrated the sporting life. He has reformed, and now lays before audiences the whole sordid type of Irishman in "The Second Generation."

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Remember that it is a disgrace to let your fat burn for a kitchen that smells of burnt fat gives the mistress away.

Never wash the frying pan. Wipe it out with a twist of paper and polish it with an old cloth. If you once allow water to come near it it will never do good frying again.

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